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Deputy CIA director meets Arafat in Gaza

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PALESTINIAN Authority leader Yasser Arafat has met with a delegation of senior CIA officials in Gaza, in what was thought to be ao unprecedeoted push for collaboration against Hamas terrorists, Palestinian sources said.

The hour-long, secretive meeting yesterday with the CIA, at which Palestinian security leaders also were preseot, was held at Arafat's vacation home in Beit Hanouo near the Erez checkpoint.

However, officials close to Arafat refused to confirm or deny the meetings. "No commeot," said Nabil Abu Rudeineh, a senior Arafat adviser.

The CIA told Arafat he had to arrest five key Izzadin Kassam figures believed to be behind the recent wave of suicide bomb attacks, the sources said,

The American delegation was headed by deputy CIA director George Tenet, according to the sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

They said Arafat presented the group with a list of security requests such as equipment, specially trained dogs, funds and expertise to discover explosives, as well as training in counterterrorism for the Palestinian police.

The New York Times reported yesterday that the Americaos were expected to press the Palestinians for informatioo on Hamas, and to share technical expertise and data the CIA obtained from satellite photos and electronic eavesdropping.

"There has to be very good. iotelligence gathered by and shared with the Israeli authorities and the Palestinian aothorities," Philip Wilcox Jr., the State Department's coordinator for coun-



Ronit Lorch, 15, lights a candle last night in Jerusalem at a Peace Now-sponsored vigil, attended by thousands, for the victims of last Sunday's bus attack in the capital. A number of demonstrations in support of Prime Minister Shimon Peres and the peace process were also held in Tel Aviv over (Reuter) the weekend.

US pressing Assad to attend summit

25-30 world leaders to converge on Sinai

DAVID MAKOVSKY and HILLEL KUTTLER

POLITICAL leaders from 25 to 30 countries are expected to convene at Sharm e-Sheikh on Wednesday in a conference dedicated to fighting terror. The Clintoo administration is urging Syrian President Hafez Assad to attend or send a representative.

The Syrian leader has yet to respood to the invitation, but Syria yesterday called on the co-sponsors of the Middle East peace process to recon-vene the Madrid peace conference as soon as possible.

Invitations to Wednesday's conference, dubbed the "Summit of the Peacemakers," were issued on Friday hy the parley's co-hosts, President Bill Clintoo and Egypt's President Hosni Mubarak.

Among those expected to atteod are: Russian President Boris Yeltsin, Prime Minister Shimoo Peres, Palestinlan Aothority leader Yasser Arafat, Jordan's Kiog Husseio, Morocco's King Hassan, Tunisian President Zine al-Ahidine Ben Ali, Qatari Emir Sheikh Mohammed Khalifa, Oman's Qabus bin Said, British Prime Mioister John Major, French President Jacques Chirac, German Chancellor Helmut Kohl, Canadian Prime Minister Jean Cretien, Spanish Prime Minister Felipe Gonzalez aod Turkish President Suleyman Demirel. UN Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali is also expected to attend.

There are reports that some countries will send foreign minis-

ters instead of heads of government, since they are not completely comfortable with the presence of the prime minister of Israel. Those countries are Saudi Arabia, Bahrain and the United Arab Emirates.

Invitations were extended to all Middle East heads of government, "with the exception of the rogue states: Iran, Iraq, Libya," a sector Clinton administration official said.

Lebanoo announced last night that it would not attend the conference. After the five-hour summit, Clinton will come to Israel for an overnight visit as a gesture of solidarity. He is expected to make an address and to visit the grave of prime minister Yitzhak Rabin before returning to the US on Thursday. Officials in the Prime Minister's Office said last night that the US and Israel are workiog on an anti-terrorism

agreement. The summit has three goals:

The summit has three goals: supporting Israel during its pre-sent crisis; supporting the peace process; and discussing how to cooperatively "choke off sup-port" for Hamas, State Depart-ment spokesman Nicholas Burns said. The conference is expected to provide an international imprimatur for Arafat, who is being pressed to crack down on Hamas. An official in the Prime Minister's Office said last night that "we expect the conference will have operational conclusions, not just declarative ones." Speakiog oo Channel 1 last

night, Foreign Ministry Director-General Uri Savir said the conference is very significant as it will

demonstrate "unprecedented support" for Israel in its fight against terrorism and for peace.

But Mubarak, speaking to re-porters yesterday in Cairo, said the conference would not be ded-icated to fighting terrorism per se. "Terrorism is not the issue here. We're talking about an international conference to support the peace process, and based on this we must meet or the peace process will collapse.

The leaders of the world should come and try to find out [how] we could push the peace process and remove all obstacles and condemn terrorism. We're going to meet hoping to reach a solution and come out with a resolution to help the process," Mubarak said.

Damascus's participation 'would strengthen the international effort to isolate Hamas and to condemn Hamas for its brutal tactics," Burns told reporters.

Burns said Secretary nf State Warreo Christopher had told Syr-ian Foreign Minister Farouk Shara that the Sharm e-Sheikh confereoce was an importaot event, and "you ought to be there, your participatioo is important."

Shara responded yesterday with his call for the reconvening of the Madrid conference. In a message to Christopher and Russian Foreign Minister Yevgeny Primakov, delivered by Shara to the US and Russian ambassadors in Damascus, the Syrian foreign minister said, "It is clear today that the peace process, due to the accnmulation of obstacles aod

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terterrorism, told the Times. "A great deal is being dooe, but this is ao area where you can do more." US officials were expected to

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press the Palestinian Authority. Jordan and Saudi Arabia to redouble efforts to block financial and political support for Hamas, and to redouble their efforts to isolate Iran, which is widely thought to offer funds to terrorists.

The US also wants Jordan, Syria and Saudi Arabia to crack down on Hamas leaders and aupporters in their states. But one American official told the Times, "Jordan says it's better to keep an eye on them than to force them underground, and Israel has tacitly approved."

19th victim of bus No. 18 bombing dies

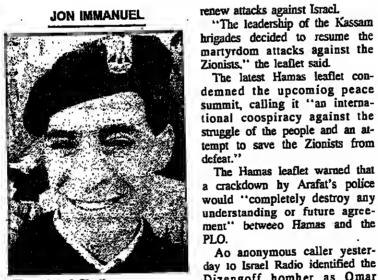
THE 19th victim of last Sunday's bombing of the No. 18 bus in Jerusalem died last night at Hadassah-University Hospital in Ein Kerem. Imar Ambrose, 51, of Romania, died of lung and head injuries, after a week in the hospital's intensive care unit.

Ambrose had been riding the bus to work with seven of his coworkers from Romania when it was bombed. Six of the 19 victims of the hlast were Romanian. Itim

Report: Arafat replaces Rajoub

Hamas leaflet: We'll resume attacks against Israel

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Hussein al-Sheik. (Khaled Zhigary)

spokesman, denied that the PA had forged or spoosored those calling for ao eod to armed attacks.

"They show there are now many Hamas groups," he said. "They are divided and speaking in different voices. We are going to ban all the armed groups."

He accused ootside sources of continuing the call for violence. In another leaflet circulated in

Gaza yesterday and signed by Hamas, the group threatened to

Terror conference – results or PR? A DAZZLING array of leaders COMMENT

will convene in Sharm e-Sheikh . oo Wednesday to denounce terror as an impediment to Middle East peace, but the questioo remaios whether the parley will produce geouine results or whether it will be little more than an exercise in public relations.

This questioo is exacerbated by concerns that one of the key functions of the parley is to give Prime Minister Shimon Peres a boost m advance of the May election.

Regardless, the conference will be significant as the international community lends its imprimatur to Yasser Arafat to fight Hamas terrorism.

understanding or future agree-More important, however, are ment" betweeo Hamas and the operational decisions in the war against terrorism that are to be Ao anonymous caller yestermade at the parley, an official in day 10 Israel Radio identified the the Prime Minister's Office said Dizengoff homher as Omar last night. Syiam from Gaza's Sabra

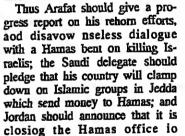
The conference must therefore address what would seem to be the three crucial components in fighting terrorism:

• Cutting off the money supply Arafat informed him this that is the oxygen for terrorists morning that he is now functioo-· Ensuring an ongoing mechaing head of the Preventive Securinism for coordioatioo and exty Service," his brother, Hassan, changing informatioo primarily in the Middle East betweeo intelli-Brig.-Geo. Ghazi Jahali, head gence agencies in the fight against of the Palestinian Police in Gaza, terror. This should involve reguconfirmed that Sheik is replacing lar meetings of Arab and Israeli Rajouh, but Gaza Preveotive Seofficials involved in this issue, in order to send out an unmistakealicly on the operational measures that will be taken.

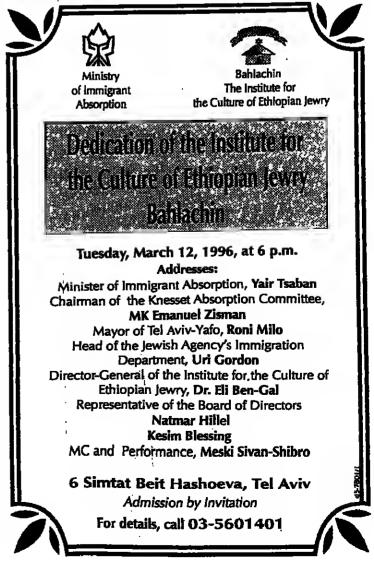
DAVID MAKOVSKY hle message that Israel is integrated in the regioo and all must join together for the purposes of stability and peace.

• Eosnriog that the religious leadership in each Middle East country issues fatwas (religious edicts) oo how terrorism against Israelis runs couoter to Islam. There is a need for a public climate in the Arab world that says killing Israelis is morally wrong period, and is not just bad because it alows down peace and uoderminea Palestinian aspirations.

Yet heyond these decisions. perhaps it is not too much to hope that every leader make his own personal pledge, and speak pub-



The battle against terrorism involves maoy concrete actioos from a variety of countries. In contrast, platitudes in Sharm e-Sheikh would be counterproductive if the parley only serves to salve the consciences of its participants who then return home to busicess as usual while hombs keep going off in Israel.



IDF demolishes suicide bomber's house, continues arrests

WITH the Gaza Strip under na-val blockade and the West Bank under virtual siege, the IDF tightened the noose around Islamic militants over the weekend.

"If we could strangle terrorists, I would strangle them," said IDF Chief of Staff Lt.-Gen. Amnon Lipkin-Shahak.

Oo Friday, the IDF demolished the house of Raed Shagnoubi, the Hamas suicide bomber

responsible in last Snnday'a bomhing on Jerusalem's No. 18 bus. It chose to dynamite the twostory cement house in the village of Burka near Nablus instead of destroying it with a bulldozer.

AS the squeeze on Hamas tight-

eos, reports yesterday claimed

Palestinian Anthority President

Yasser Arafat has replaced Col.

Jibril Rajoub as head of the West

Bank Preventive Secority

Arafat'a office refused to con-

Meanwhile, the PLO Execu-

tive Committee met last night in

Gaza to discuss the new approach

Arrests continned over the

weekeod, as Gaza police said

they arrested dozens of Hamas

activists, bringing the total to

more than 500. Among them are

several leaders, including spokes-

man Dr. Mahmood Zahar; Ha-

mas co-founder Mohammed

Shama; Imam Ahmed Baher:

pharmacist Ibrahim Yazuri; and

yonth activist Muhsein Abu Eita.

They all had been arrested for

them comes after the appearance

of more than 10 leaflets signed by

Hamas, Izzadin Kassam, or both,

some calling for an end to armed

activity, others denooocing the

previous flyers and calling for

Nabil Abu Rudeineh, Arafat's

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The effect is bound to echo throughout the territories and signal that the 1DF is getting tough oot only on Hamas activists, but on their supporters and families as well.

"It is clear that while we are preventing terrorists - who don't carry signs or wear uniforms but merge in amoog the thousands from getting into Israel, those who [need to] come to make a waning days of the intifada.

ARIEH O'SULLIVAN

living to feed their families suf-Shahak told Israel Radio. fer," "But that is the price the Palestinian people must pay for terrorists coming from among them."

Arrests continued over the weekend with soldiers rounding up some 50 Hamas activists in the isolated village of Anza, near Jenin. All males were ordered ioto a schoolyard where those with suspected links to Hamas were takeo in for interrogation.

Desperate to root out Hamas and the Islamic Jihad, the IDF is eoteriog villages, like Aoza. which it has avoided since the

Israeli undercover squads also went into action and arrested five Islamic militants, the head of the unit said. We "have been carrying out amhushes at different spots" along the Green Line and deep inside the West Bank, the commander, who was identified only as "G," said on Israel Radio.

The latest Hamas leaflet con-

The Hamas leaflet warned that

would "completely destroy any

The reports about Rajoub

came from Hussein Sheik, head

of the civil police in Ramallah.

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eighborhood.

In Gaza, the navy has imposed a total blockade, for the first time since Palestioian autonomy hegan, to prevent suspected Islamic militants from fleeing hy sea and to stop the smuggling of materiel ioto the coastal strip, the army said

Most fishermeo stayed ashore

and those who did venture out were fired upon hy the navy, Reuters reported.

In Burka Friday, hefore the IDF hlew up the home of Shagnouhi, neighhors were moved out of their homes and gathered on a hillside to witoeas the dynamiting. After the hlast, villagers shout-

ed "Allahu Akbar," and youths pelied troops with stones. But the soldiers quickly dispersed them and reimposed the curfew that has been in effect since Tuesday.

Villagers told AP that the house was not even owned hy Shaguouhi's family, aod that they had fled earlier.

NEWS

Congress 'frustrated' at PA's record on terror

MEMBERS Of Congress remain unconvinced that Palestinian Authority president Yasser Arafat is acting forcefully enough against terrorism, hut are not yet prepared to hold np US assistance to the Palestinians.

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That view was echoed hy participants at a Blair House meeting Wednesday night hetween Congressional leadership and Jewish members of both houses with Secretary of State Warren Christopher, CIA director John Deutsch and peace process coordinator Dennis Ross.

"There was lots of frustration at that meeting, directed, frankly, against Arafat and the PA," New Ynrk congressman Eliot Engel, who attended the meeting, said in an interview.

"The feeling [was] the ball is in Arafat's court and he's got to now put up or shut up, he's got to now produce, he's got to show that he is serious about curtailing terror-ism," Engel said. "We're not going to let him talk out of both

HILLEL KUTTLER WASHINGTON

sides of his mouth anymore.

Asked whether Congress was

prepared to threaten a cut-off of

US aid to the Palestinians, Engel,

a member of the international

relations committee, said he did not think "the linkage is quite

there yet.. But it is clearly in the

mix. It is clearly a possibility." But a resolution introduced in

the Hnuse Thursday by committee

chairman Benjamin Gilman states

that the failures of Arafat and the

PA "undermine and threaten the

peace process as well as contin-

ued US financial assistance."

"I think that that was the con-The PA has been "ineffective and unsuccessful in completely sensus in the room amongst memrooting out" terrorists from the bers of the Senate and the House. autonomous areas, "calling into I think there was no real disagreequestion their commitment to the ment acout the frustration, the anger, the anguish, the feeling that peace process," states the non-Arafat's got to show something now. I don't think the administrahinding resolution, which is to be taken up on the House floor this tion disagreed with that. They week. understand this is his time of reck-

The House resolution and its Senate counterpart were crafted with significant input from the administration, with the goal being to produce a version that would become a "joint resolution" with the signature of President Clinton.

In a closed hriefing Thursday for Gilman's committee, Ross said that in a telephone conversation with Arafat last week, the PA head called Hamas operatives "not just criminals, they're trai-Ross told the group that Arafat

had reached the conclusion that his carrot-and-stick policy with Hamas had failed.

Senate intelligence committee chairman Arlen Specter, who did not attend the meeting with Christopher, said in an interview that the US must "put a lot more pressure on Arafat."

Specter said "there may be some reevaluation" of the Palestinian aid program, currently at about \$100 million annually. "in light of what's happened" on Israel's streets last week.

Meanwhile, a letter sent on Thursday to Christopher hy New York congressmen Engel and Charles Schumer and Florida's Peter Deutsch charged that the compliance administration's report, submitted to Congress a week ago, "does not hold the PLO to the strict standard the PLO itself committed to."

They urged the administration to press Arafat to launch "a total and comprehensive Palestinian drive" against terrorism.

'Hamas political wing wants end to violence'

Jerusalem Post Staff

A HAMAS political leader, detained in the US pending extradialso was alleged to have raised tinn to Israel, said the group's polithundreds of thousands of dollars ical wing wants an end to violence, for Hamas, including funds for but has no authority over the Hamas arms, and to have overseen the militants in the West Bank and Gaza, The New York Times reported recruitment of terrorists.

Abn Marzook told the Times that he had agreed to an interview to call for an end of violence by both Israel and the Palestinians.

Efforts by Israel, the Palestinian Authority and others to crush Hamas would backfire, Abu Marzook said, adding that a dia-logue similar to that between Britain and the Irish Republican Army might be the only way to end the violence.

Abu Marzook said there was a similarity between his position and Gerry Adams of Sinn Fein, the IRA's political branch. Adams, who has been received by the White House, is seen as a negotiating partner. The difference hetween them, Abu Marzook said, is that Adams "is hlue-eyed and Catholic. I am not blue-eyed and I

LIKUD representatives will con-

fer this morning with their Tsomet

counterparts in order to assure

them that Likud has no intention

intention of giving in to what he

sees as excessive demands on-

Levy's part regarding Levy's own

Netanyahu assured Tsomet leader Rafael Eitan over the

weekend that his position will not

personal status,

am a Muslim." In the Times interview in a dederal prison in Manhattan, Aba Marzook disputed Israeli and American assertions that Humas gets vital support and funds from Iran and Syria or that it is under some kind of foreign control.

"Hamas's ouly structure is inside Palestine," he said. "There is no organization outside." The US has been pressing

Jordan, Syria and Sandi Arabia to stop any support of Hamas and to rein in Hamas officials living in those states.

Last week, a captured Hamas militant, Mohammed Abu Warda, said the recent terror attacks were intended to destroy the peace process hy helping the Likud defeat the Labor Party in the com-

Abn Marzook rejected that statement as coerced and unreliable. "We can't tie our future, you see, with Labor party or Likud party or who wins the elections," he told the Times.

Likud, Tsomet,

Gesher continue to

hammer out an

agreement

'Suicide bombers carried explosives in duffle bags' BILL HUTMAN

oning."

THE four recent suicide bombers were all carrying the explosives in armystyle duffle bags, each containing two anti-tank mines set off hy a hatterynperated detonator, police bomh squad experts revealed nn Friday.

The mines - Italian-made Shahi mines containing seven kilograms of TNT - were apparently smuggled into the Gaza Strip from mine fields in the Sinai, according in the experts, who included Dep.-Cmdr. Arik, the police bomh squad head whose full name is furbidden from publication.

The hombs were made even more lethal hy the addition of five kilograms of nails or metal halls plus four liters of petrol into the duffel bags. Police said similar bombs were used in nearly all of the suicide attacks over the past two years.

Arik also noted that the vests for carrying explosives which Palestinian police say they found in their search for Hamas terrorists may say something about plans for future attacks. However, carrying the explosives in a duffel bag has been the preferred method to date. The Hadera bomhing is the only one in which police believe the suicide bomber carried the explosives on his body in a vest.

Sarid: I prevented unity government

MICHAL YUDELMAN

ENVIRONMENT Minister Yossi Sarid said yesterday that he had helped prevent Prime Minister Shimon Peres from forming a national unity government, in which Likud MK Ariel Sharon would ter for internal security. "We were a hairbreadth from a national unity government, and from getting Sharon as internal security minister," Sarid said. Sharon's demand for the defense portfolio in such a government was rejected, said Sarid, but the suggestion to appoint him internal security minister was being considered. Sarid said that Peres bad been Palestinian nation."

under intense pressure from with-in the cabinet and without to form a national unity government with the Likud "and it was my unequivocal position which helped our partners in Labor, in a German Foreign Minister Klaus Kinkel visits one of the wounded in last week's Dizengoff Center. bomb attack at Ichilov Hospital on Friday, together with Foreign Minister Ehud Barak.

French FM calls for fight against terror

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be taken for granted, and will not he compromised because of Levy's demands. Tsomet's Doron Shmueli had warned on Friday that Tsomet will back out of its deal with the Likud if Levy is given primacy over Eitan.

Both of the Likud's new partners want to be recognized as Netanyahn's No. 2

Netanyahu is reportedly opposed to that, particularly because it directly injures Eitan's status.

Eitan argues that he had voluntarily ceded the second slot on the joint list to Levy but, though his name will appear in the third slot on the Knesset list, he wants recognition as Netanyahu's defacto second-in-command.

Eitan notes that his party has a proven track record and won eight Knesset seats in 1992, while Levy's is an untried party with very poor prospects. Netanyahu is reported to agree

with this assessment. His improved position in the polls also allows into play a tougher bargaining game with Levy, on whom Netanyahu grows less dependent as his prospects improve.

The Levy side, which had wanted to sign a deal on Friday, tried to . minimize the disagreements throughout the weekend. Levy dismissed them as "mere technicalities. Nothing more."

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of subordinating their interests to those of Gesher. The talks with David Levy's Gesher party will resume today in an effort to finalize the agreement on fielding a three-headed ticket. However, Likud Chairman Binyamin Netanyahu has already let it be known that he has no

in vesterday's editions.

political conviction.

Mousa Mohammed Abu

Marzook, in his first interview

since he was apprehended last

July at Kennedy Airport in New York, said Friday that Hamas's

political wing and the military

underground share only a general

"Nobody can tell them to stop or

not stop," he said of the military

wing. "The political wing is com-

pletely separate from these peo-

Hamas's political bureau, and his

efforts the distance the political from the military wings could serve his personal legal interests. In its extradition request, Israel

said Ahu Marzook was personally

linked tn several bomhings. He

Abu Marzook, 45, is the head of

(Elbarar Yitzhak/Scoop 30)

recent wave of terror attacks. Meanwhile, Italian Foreign Minister Susanna Agnell

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ARAFAT

(Continued from Page I) curity Service deputy Rashid Shabac denied it.

Arafat's spokesman Rudeineh did not deny the report, but said, "I have no comment at this moment. l think that is selfexplanatory."

It is not the first time that Rajouh has been reportedly fired or suspended from his joh and a replacement identified.

If Rajonb was replaced, the most likely reason is dissatisfaction with his performance against Hamas. He has always believed it is possible to reach accommodation with Hamas, and has been

return to themselves." Sarid said Meretz is opposed to a national unity government, "because you can't win a war without a joint definition of the enemy. For us, the enemy is the

to get out of that situation and to said in Tel Aviv on Friday.

De Charette, who plans to attend the international conference on terrorism this week in Sharm e-Sheikh, also announced that France will send a team of terrorism experts to Israel, in Hamas and Jihad terrorism, while for Sharon the enemy is the response to a request for assis-Palestinian Authority, the PLO tance from Prime Minister and Fatah, in fact, the whole Arab Shimon Peres and Palestinian Authority President Yasser Arafat.

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national community, French

is and lives under its threat, and Foreign Minister Herve de Charette can contribute its share," he said. De Charette, whn arrived with his German counterpart Klaus Kinkel, said he was here to express France's "warm support for the Israeli govermnent and the Jewish people. The French are shocked to the core at the tragedy that Israel has endured in recent days."

He added that "the peace process is in jeopardy" due to the

announced yesterday that the European Union will send a toplevel delegation to Iran, Libya and Syria to tell the governments they must condemn terrorism.

"They will try to impress upon them the idea that it is impossible that they can go on not condemning these terroristic attacks," Agnellí told a news conference at an informal meeting of EU foreign ministers in Palermo.

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Levy also wanted a guarantee that Netanyahu will be the sole acting premier; that the clause allowing the prime minister to fire any of his ministers will not be employed against him; and that in addition he be given a senior port-folio and head a top ministerial committee

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help of the public in its efforts to find a missing person, Rivka Kahati Stomp, who disappeared after leaving her home in Ma'alot Dafna. Jerusalem on August 2, 1995.

Description: 34 years old, height 165 cm., build medium, hair chestnut colored, short and curly, eyes brown, may be wearing a head scarve or hat. Speaks Hebrew, German, English and Yiddish,

Anyone with information as to her whereabouts is asked to cali 02-391267, 02-391454, 02-309344, or any police station

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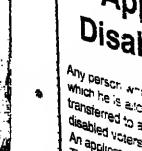


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viewed as more interested in sceking out and punishing collaborators with Israel. Rajoub has two younger hrothers who are members of Hamas.

They live in Dnra, Rajonh's hometown, which is three kilometers from Fawar refugee camp, home of the two suicide bombers who perpetrated the attacks in Jerusalem and Ashkelon. Sheikh was an intifada organizer, but was never expelled for his

activities and is much less close to Hamas.

He organized joint Israeli-Palestinian peace conferences in Ramallah after the 1991 conference in Madrid.

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dangerous events, including acts of violence and counter-violence, is facing a deep crisis which cannot be genuinely and substantiveaddressed except through goly | ing back to the terms of reference of the peace process." In its call, Syria noted that the invitation sent hy the United States and Russia on October 18, 1991, to attend the Madrid conference did include the possibility

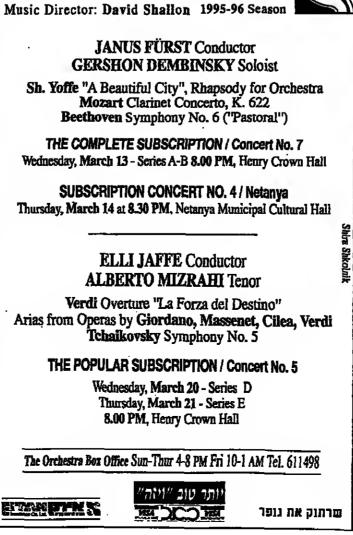
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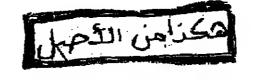
appeal to Syria, since it is on the State Department's list of countries supporting terrorism, Israeli officials suggest Syria appears to he in a lose-lose situation: If it does not attend, it would appear to be opposing the US's intense effort to secure an international consensus against terrorism; if it

does participate, it could be viewed as hypocritical given its placement in recent years on the State Department's short list of countries supporting terrorism. The new report is due out early pext month. An official in the Prime Minister's Office said last night that the Likud would not be invited as part of the Israeli delegation to Wednesday's conference. The official rejected suggestions that the parley is being convened in no small measure to bolster Peres's election fortunes. "In what country is the opposition part of the conference? Is Clinton hringing the Republicans? Will the Jordanian opposition be there? This is nonsense," the official said. In the Likud, there is consider-

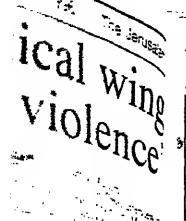
able anger about the summit. which MK Eliahu Ben-Elissar said is "a summit to save Shimon Peres rather than to do anything about terrorism.' Sarah Honig contributed to this

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Name of suspected terrorist aide released

Said Suleimani, 45, from Kafr Manshiya Zabda, near Nahalal, is Said Suleimani, 43, from Karr Mansmya Zabda, near Nanalui, is the Israeli Arah suspected of transporting the Dizengoff Center bomber to Tel Aviv, Tiberias Magistrale's Court revealed on Friday. A publication ban had been placed on the name of the suspect. Police told the court that Suleimani made contact with a terror conspiration in the Gaza Strip two weeks before arriving last organization in the Gaza Strip Iwo weeks before arriving last Monday to the Karni crossing to smuggle the terrorist into Israel. Suleimani was arrested Monday night, and police asked for a publication han in order to arrest more suspects. Itim

Three killed in road accidents

Three people were killed and four injured in road accidents over

Natan Daziknav, 33, and Vadim Mishayav, 23, were killed and two other passengers were injured when their car crashed into a cement harrier at the entrance to Beersheba early yesterday morning. They were returning from a night out in Tel Aviv. A Civil Guard volunteer, Amir Miller, 46, was killed when a van crashed into his patrol car on the Haifa-Shfaram road at the turnoff to Rechasim early yesterday morning. Police said the driver of the van ran through a red light. A policeman in the patrol car was lightly injured, as was the van driver. David Rudge

Dead Sea hotels to be linked to Water Carrier Mekorot is starting work on a NIS 11 million project to connect hotels in the Dead Sea area to the National Water Carrier. Officials said groundwork would start in the next few days. The project involves laying a new 20-km-long pipeline from Dimona, where the water carrier reaches, to the Dead Sea botels. The work is expected to be completed within a year. Until now the hotels bave been supplied with saline water for urrigation and washing purposes, and desalinated water from nearby briny wells for drinking only. David Rudge

Turkish president to visit

With economic and water deals on top of the agenda, Turkish President Suleyman Demirel is to arrive here tomorrow for the highest-level visit by a Turkish official to Israel. Demirel's three-day trip was initially scheduled for November hut was postponed after Yitzhak Rabin was assassinated. Demirel said his visit offered the chance for a "turning point" in Turkish-Israeli relations. But Turkey, a predominately Moslem nation, has always maintained a good rapport with Israel. AP

'Tourists not leaving the country

Tourism Minister Uzi Baram is expected to deliver good news about the current state of tourism in Israel despite the recent bomb attacks, in an address at the annual ITB international tourism fair to be held in Berlin this week.

Despite initial fears and reports of cancellations, tourists have not made a mass exodus and cancellations have been minimal, ministry spokesperson Micbal Marmary said. 'The [political] situation in Israel right now is not so good, hut that has not caused the tourists to leave or people to cancel their trips," Marmary said. "If you go around the streets you see tour buses filled with tourists," Jennifer Friedlin

Police investigate Nazareth assault

A resident of Nazareth was allegedly beaten up hy a pub owner and a doorman at a pub in the so-called "Alcobol Valley" region of Haifa's bayside suburbs district in the early hours of yesterday morning. Police said it appeared the man had been refused admittance to the pub, and fighting broke out when be insisted on being allowed to enter. He was taken to the nearby Zvulun police station, where he collapsed and had to he transferred to Haifa's Rambam Hospital for treatment. Police detained the owner and the David Rudge doorman for questioning.

Yisrael Tal, Gesher Theater win Allon Prize Prime Minister Shimon Peris will present the Trgat Allon Prize to Mat.-Gen. (res.) Yisrael Tal and to the Gesber Theater at the Tel Aviv Museum lonight at 6:00. Tal, who served in the Hagana, was cited for being an exemplary

soldier and an example to others. The judges said the Gesber Theater, consisting largely of new immigrants from Russia, has become an invaluable and integral part of Israeli culture since its

Taiwan shrugs off new Chinese naval war games

BELING (Reuter) - China's new plans for war games in the seas between the mainland and Taiwan has been shrugged off hy a defiant Taipei.

In a game of brinkmanship with rising stakes, China stepped up the heat yesterday by announcing live-firing military exercises to complement current missile tests near vital Taiwanese ports. The missile tests have been widely

denounced as an attempt to infimidate Taiwanese into giving up any independence moves.

"From March 12 to 20, 1996, the Chinese People's Liberation Army will conduct naval and air force exercises with live ammunition," the official Xinhua news agency said.

But Taiwan President Lee Teng-hui said China's war games would not hinder presidential elections on March 23.

"I want to emphasise that force and threats will not obstruct our pursuit of

democracy, freedom and dignity," President Lee said in a televised address.

The exercises cover a large rectangle reaching about half way across the southern end of the strait separating the island of Taiwan from the mainland.

China called on all governments to nonfy shipping and aircraft to keep out of the war games area which, at its closest point, is just 55 km (33 miles) from the Taiwan-held Pescadore islands.

The drills are China's fourth round of military action off Taiwan since Beijing flew into a fury after Lee made a landmark private visit to the United States last June, will coincide with March 8-15 Chinese missile tests even nearer to Taiwan, which

Beijing regards as a renegade province. The exercises, which add muscle to Beijing's pincer-like pressure on tradedependent Taiwan, end just three days before Taiwan's 21 million people go to the polls in their first direct presidential elecThe sabre-rattling has been widely criti-cized in Taiwan and abroad as an attempt to influence the outcome of the polls, which are expected to return Lee – the chief target

of China's wrath - to power. "The aim of China's exercises is to interfere with the elections and to reduce the votes of the (incumbent) president," Lee said. He repeated his previous call for the leaders of China and Taiwan to talk.

Beijing has rebuffed those calls, derided the election as a ploy to further Taiwan's independence drive and subjected Lee to a withering barrage of insults and propaganda that began after the Taiwanese leader visited the United States.

"(Lee's actions) will bring grave disaster to the 21 million Taiwan compatriots, something we do not wish to happen," said a rare joint editorial by the Communist Party's People's Daily and the military's mouthpiece, the People's Liberation Army

China's President and Communist Party chief warned that Beijing's pressure on the island "will not stop for a single day" until Lee abandons his drive to boost Taiwan's international standing. China says it will not abandon the ulti-

mate threat of force to recover the island that split from the mainland after the Nationalist defeat at the end of China's civil war in 1949.

China's army on Friday fired three unarmed ballistic missiles into two sea areas, one 20 nautical miles off the northeastern port of Keelung and the other 30 nanucal miles off southwestern Kaohsiung port, Taiwan's Defense Ministry said.

International criticism of the Chinese sabre-ratiling has been swift and sharp, with the United States branding the tests as "provocative and reckless" and other countries warning they threatened Asian stabiliťy.

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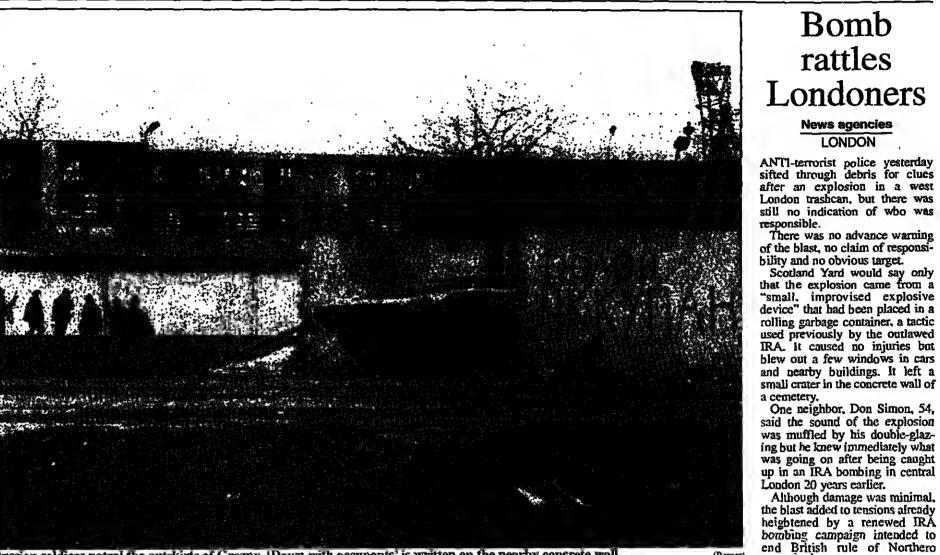
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There was no advance warning

Scotland Yard would say only

One neighbor, Don Simon, 54,

Although damage was minimal,



Russian soldiers patrol the outskirts of Grozny. 'Down with occupants' is written on the nearby concrete wall.

George Burns dies at 100

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Collaborators to gov't: Don't abandon us Palestinians who assisted Israel in obtaining intelligence information met yesterday in Beit She'an and called on the goveroment not to abandon them. Likud MK David Mena, who heads the Knesset lobby for "collaborators," said that he had received dozens of requests asking the government to insist that PA President Yasser Arafat bonor his commitment in the Cairo agreement not to harm them. The meeting was held in a ball in Beit She'an after a hotel owner in Nahariya withdrew his consent to Itim allow it to be beld there.

Family suffers carbon dioxide inhalation

A baredi family of seven from Safed was hospitalized Friday night for carbon dioxide inhalation, after the family had left its gas stove lit and the apartment filled with gas. They are currently at Haifa's Rambam Hospital in serious condition.

The director-general of the hospital in Safed called on the Kiryat Meor Hayim rabbinate, Agudat Yisrael and Shas to run an information campaign on the dangers of leaving a gas or kerosene stove lit all night without proper ventilation. Itim

Ministers to launch committee on traffic

Transportation Minister Yisrael Kessar, Minister Yossi Beilin, and Environment Minister Yossi Sarid are to ask the government today to approve the appointment of a committee to examine ways of easing traffic congestion in the country.

The recommendations of the committee, which will include representatives from several ministries as well as the Technion, are expected within three months. Itin

GROZNY (Reuter) - Sporadic tank, mortar and sniper fire rocked the devastated Chechen capital yesterday as darkness fell on the city where Russian troops have been unable to oust separatist rebels for four days.

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The sky was blackened by a huge cloud of smoke pouring out of an oil dump hurning in a southwestern district, the streets were virtually empty and the few people out on the streets ducked for cover hearing a sniper shot or a tank shell explode.

Some explosions shook buildings and sbattered glass in the centre of the city, already ruined hy fierce Russian air and artillery attacks more than a year ago.

The central market of Grozny, once the biggest in the Caucasus, was empty. Only one woman was selling flour.

But the shops were relatively well stocked and had mineral water - in high demand after four days of no running water. Most of the few pedestrians were carrying huckles of water.

One group of women walked under a white flag in an attempt to ward off fire as they carried the hody of a friend killed hy a sniper yesterday morning.

A Russian commander said Friday that Russian troops controlled Grozny hut a spokesman for the Chechen-hacked administration said yesterday an unknown number of rebels were sull hold-

ing strategic points. Russian troops said they were flushing out rebel snipers and one column of armoured personnel carriers drew up outside a building and appeared to throw grenades as they went in.

Fighting continues in Grozny

A hurst of gunfire broke out close by as 1 crossed the road with cameraman Igor Shatalov. Clinic number nine was filled with badly injured people, including civilians and children

Russian Interior Minister Anatoly Kulikov met pro-Moscow Chechen officials and military commanders at Severny airport on the outskirts of Grozny. Interfax news agency quoted Kulikov as demanding from local officials to "install order in the

citv" Rebel fighters of separatist leader Dzhokhar Dudayev infiltrated the city on Wednesday. humiliating the Kremlin and

President Boris Yeltsin, who is seeking re-election in June. "Dudayev has succeeded in

demonstrating his force," commented Russia's independent NTV television. "The city, fully encircled by Russian checkpoints with fire positions at virtually every crossroad, has been fully paralysed."

At least 70 interior ministry soldiers have been reported killed and 160 wounded, but reports are contradictory and there has been no word of rebel or civilian casualties.

In the room of the clinic number nine lay a three-year old boy with shrapnel wounds. His younger sister had died when a mortar bornb hit them while they were playing. In the next room two badlywounded young men lay next to the corpse of a third man whose blood-caked feet were sticking out of the sheet covering his body. Doctor Sapsita Gayerbekova said the 27-year-old man, Isa, had died that morning but that there was nowhere to put the body and those of another two patients who had died in the hospital.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - George 100. Burns, the wry, cigar-smoking He spent the birthday quietly. President Clinton and wife Hillary comic who played straight man to hailed his "knowing smile and dry Gracie Allen for 35 years, then wit," adding, "His youthful attifound new popularity when he won an Academy Award at age 80. tude, now a century old, continues died Saturday just weeks after to inspire us today." turning 100.

Bums' career was at a cross-His career lasted more than 90 roads after Gracie - the ultimate years, spanning vaudeville, radio, ditzy comedian and the love of Burns' life - retired in 1958. She movies, television, nightclubs, died in 1964, be never remarried. best-selling books, recordings and video. He was the oldest actor He developed his own act as a ever to receive an Oscar. single, starring in TV specials and playing Las Vegas with such dis-

Bobhy Darin.

At age 98, he was still delighting audiences with his perfectly timed quips, many of them at his own expense. ("I'm doing better with 18-year-old women now than when I was 18," was one.) Fans eagerly awaited his long-promised 100th birthday shows in Las Vegas, with the \$100 tickets selling out long in advance.

But declining health ended his performing career after he was injured in a fall in July 1994. The 100th birthday shows were canceled. More recently, ailing with the flu, Burns was unable even to gone to his close friend Jack be a spectator at a gala in his honor a few days before he turned Benny, who died in 1974.

aging vaudevillian in The Sunshine Boys touching off a string of movies, books and soldout nightclub appearances. He said be accepted the role in the Neil Simon comedy, his first movie in more than 35 years, for the same reason be continued performing after Gracie retired: "You can't quit show business - not at my age." The role was to have

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(Ad Hoc) 1996 **Preparation of 5756 Voters Rolls Applications for Transfer to a Disabled Persons' Voting Station**

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Ministry of the Interior

Any person who, because of physical disability, is unable to vote at the voting station which he is allocated may apply to the Minister of the Interior, requesting that his name transferred to another voting list, for a voting station where arrangements are available disabled voters.

An application form will be posted to you, if you request this by phoning 09-7677249. The completed and signed application form should be sent to the address given in the form.

Applications must arrive before March 12, 1996.

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Anyone who has submitted such an application in the past need not submit one again.

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Fires rage in lawless Sarajevo suburb

SARAJEVO (Reuter) - Fires burned unattended yesterday in the lawless Sarajevo suburb of Ilidza, laid waste hy fleeing Serbs.

The US said it was sending its new envoy to the region to stress the need for compliance with the fraying Dayton peace accords which ended the 43 month old war hus failed to patch up the multi-ethnic fahric of Bosnia

Blazes swept through a railway station, a factory and several houses on the outskirts of llidza with no sign of any attempt to extinguish them.

Two flats were also ahlaze in a block of apartments on the main road in Ilidza, where Serb residents have been setting fire to flats virtually every day for a week. The fire department had already shut down in

llidza, one of five suburbs being handed over to Moslem-Croat federation control as part of Dayton. The practice of closing down local services to put

pressure on residents to leave has already been seen in three suburbs handed over to the federation. Law and order has all hut collapsed.

Many Serb residents are leaving the Bosnian capital out of genuine fear of Moslem-Croat rule.

But UN officials say some who want to stay are being driven out by threats and propaganda from Serh separatists determined to divide Bosnia ethnically.

Preserving Sarajevo's multi-ethnic community was one of the primary goals of Dayton, already strained hy rising tension in the Moslem-Croat federation. A Croat official in the Moslem-Croat federation said he had no regrets about ordering a squad of

Croat police into a Sarajevo suhurb this week without UN permission, underlining the poor relations within the federation.

Jozo Leutar, deputy interior minister for the federation, withdrew the police from Hadzici, transferred from Serb control, after NATO threatened to use force.

The new overseer of US policy on Bosnia, Acting

Assistant Secretary of State John Kornhlum, will visit the Balkans this weekend to stress the need for compliance with the Dayton accords, the State Department said.

Spokesman Nicholas Burns said Korahlum would travel to the region today and meet leaders in Sarajevo, Zagreb and Belgrade tomorrow and Tuesday.

At a time when the US-brokered agreement is under strain, Burns said, Kornhium will "press upon them (the leaders) the strategic imperative of implementing successfully the Dayton accords and to work with them on all the range of compliance issues that stem in the Dayton accords."

Federation police are scheduled to move into Ilidza on Tuesday but until then international police were concerned about the safety of residents still in their

Kris Janowski, Sarajevo UN aid agency spokesman, said a 65-year-old Moslem woman had been murdered in a growing campaign of violence in the Serb district of Grbavica, which is due to he the last to switch to Moslem-Croat rule on March 19.

"We think that the lives and well-being of the remaining minority, non-Serb population in Grbavica are threatened. There is an escalation of terror and intimidation. There were three fires including a school. It's a very ugly game.

There are gangs of people going from house to house, threatening the remaining population, both minority and Serb, and telling them to get out because their house is going to be next." Janowski said

The fires in Ilidza burned a short distance from NATO peacekeeping headquarters guarded by heavily-armed troops.

NATO commanders say preventing arson is the responsibility of international police which in turn says it has no power to arrest those setting fires or looting.

Turkish hijacker frees hostages

MUNICH (AP) - Upset over the war in Chechnya, a young Turkish waiter comman-deered a Turkish Cypriot airliner and forced it to fly to Munich, where he released all 109 hostages yesterday after being promised he could voice his concerns to the media.

A house burns out of control in the Sarajevo subarb of Ilidza Friday.

None of the 101 passengers and eight crew members were harmed, police said, and arrangements were being made for them to get to their original destinations.

The hijacker was identified as Aydin Ramazan, a waiter from Duzce, Turkey, who turns 21 today and whose forebears were from Chechnya. He was brought before a judge yesterday and ordered jailed pending an investigation.

Police say Ramazan entered the cockpit of the Boeing 727 shortly after it took off Friday evening from Nicosia, Cyprus, bound for Istanhul, Turkey.

Armed with what turned out to he a toy pis- pilot and a flight attendant were released, tol, he forced the pilot to fly first to Sofia, ... Ramazan did not threaten the hostages or "remain nustworthy, even for kidnappers."

Bulgaria, and then Germany. Although he told the pilot there were four other hijackers on the plane with him, the man told police afterward he had acted alone.

The plane landed shortly before midnight in Munich and Ramazan demanded a Turkish interpreter, a human rights lawyer and a reporter be called.

Police spokesman Karl-Heinz Spoerl said the hijacker repeatedly insisted he was not a terrorist, but only wanted to draw attention to "Russia's hloody war in Chechnya." Moscow sent troops to Chechnya 15 months

ago to crush the Caucasus region's bid for independence. An estimated 30,000 people, mostly civilians, have been killed in the fighting.

negotiations hy phooe, Ramazan released six hostages, including a woman who was recently operated oo and a child. An hour later, the

issue an ultimatum until about 4 a.m. (0300 GMT), Spoeri said, when one of the passengers became ill and negonations had stalled.

Bavarian radio and meet with attorney Hartmut Finger before being taken to jail.

was resolved," Finger said afterward.

to make the whole world aware" of the suffering inflicted on "our brothers in Chechnya" by Russia. "We want this violence ended as

statement ooce the hijacker was in custody. "But he said. 'You promised.' In the end we must

Serb war criminal recounts massacre PARIS (AP) - "Don't kill us! Our families will bring money."

In chilliog detail, a confessed Bosnian Serb war criminal describes the massacre at Srehrenica, where hundreds of Drazen Erdemovic, a repentant

"I tried to kill as few people as possible." he said. "At one point, I murmured to one of my comrades, 'God knows everything we've done today." He snapped hack at me: "Shut up and shoot!""

Trihunal investigators also want questioo Radoslav Krameokovic, 29, a friend of Erdemovic who served with him people on war crimes charges. Only two, both Bosnian Serbs, are in custody so far. Serb authorities still refuse to hand over any suspects for trial, hut they have recently agreed to let investigators question wimesses on Serb soil. The Bosnian government and the International Red Cross are trying to determine what hapmassacre. pened to about 7,000 men missing

from Srehrenica, an eastern Moslem enclave that fell to the Serbs last July. Erdemovic told Le Figaro for its weekeod editioo that "about 1,200" men, mostly Moslems, were gunned down in a 24-hour killing frenzy last July 20.

Bulldozers plowed the bodies under, Erdemovic said, He said he decided to break his silence after relations croded between him and his unit's commander, Lt. Milorad Pelemis.

Two days after the Srebrenica massacre. Erdemovic says, he was shot and gravely wounded by a top aide to Pelemis. Last month, he said. Pelemis ordered him om h

the massacre - and possibly implicate others.

Erdemovic said he joined Pelemis' unit in January 1995, and that it was designed to carry out acts of sabotage and the "eliminary tion of troublesome people." In jarring detail, he described his unit's role in the Srebrenica

He and fellow commandos, he. said, were ordered to fire their Kalashnikovs at men - all dressed io civilian clothing - who were hronght to them hy the busload.

"Some of them were very: young, 17 to 18 years old, The oldest were in their 50s," he said Soldiers hurled numerous insults at the first group of about 60 vic-tims. yet "they didn't say a word," Sec. 14 W Erdemovic said he asked his commander to spare one victime a Moslem man in his 50s who said he had helped about 20 Serbs escape from Srebrenica andclaimed to have names and tele-

As a goodwill gesture after three hours of quickly as possible." he said. Spoerl said police considered not allowing the

Then he warned that "something would happen" if his demands were not met quickly, Spoerl said. Police promised he would be allowed to make a statement to a reporter, and he surrendered about 5 a.m. He was allowed to speak to a reporter for

"He was obviously very happy that the thing

In his statement, Ramazan said he "wanted

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Officials of the War Crimes Trihunal based in The Hague, Netherlands, come to Belgrade oo Tuesday to discuss the case with

"Sorry," Erdemovic said he alle to tell the man prompted chief doesn't want us to leave behind a single living witness."

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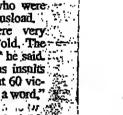
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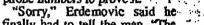
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Moslems begged for their lives only to die in a harrage of bullets. 25-year-old soldier sought hy the International War Crimes Trihunal, told the respected Paris

daily Le Figaro a crisis of conscience prompted him to person-

kepublican primary last week giving Kansas Senator Bob Dole an overwhelming victory.

An exit poll showed that 66 percent of the voters thought Buchanan too extreme.

Dole's victory, in an election held under court order, did not

necessarily imply that the voters like him. The exit poll, conducted hy the Voter News Service, showed 51 percent thought Dole has no new ideas.

About 400,000 people braved snow and ice storms to vote in

New York State. Less than 5 perceot of them are Jewish. The primary was held oo Thursday because Purim fell on

Tuesday, the traditional Electioo Day. The election was held under the state court order after the state Republican Party, prodded hy

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ballot. New York did not have a direct primary. Instead, voters picked delegates pledged to a candidate.

Delegates pledged to Dole and publisher Steve Forbes appeared in all 31 districts, while delegates pledged to Buchanan were on the hallot in 23. Buchanan, who won no delegates, got roughly 15 perceot of the vote.

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Inspectors enter Baghdad building after standoff

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BAGHDAD (AP) - After an all-night standoff with Iraqi authorities, UN weapons experts entered a ministry huilding yesterday to search for data on banned weapons of mass destruction.

The latest wrangle between Baghdad and the United Nations came just ahead of tomorrow's resumption of talks in New York aimed at negotiating a limited resumption of Iragi oil sales. Irag accused the UN of deliberately provoking the

standoff in an attempt to damage Baghdad's image ahead of the crucial talks.

Some 20 experts were allowed into the Irrigation Ministry, where they suspect weapons-related documents were stored, after chief UN inspector Rolf Ekeus telephoned Iraq's deputy prime minister, Tariq Aziz, from New York and "negotiated a deal." "It seems that it worked," said Charles Harper, an

American with the operations department of the UN Special Commission charged with dismantling Iraq's weapons programs.

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UN officials gave no details on the talks between Ekcus and Aziz. But the group of inspectors that went into the huilding was only about half the 43-member team, indicating the Iraqis may have demanded a cit io the numbers.

At times in the past, the Iraqis have objected to searches hy inspectors from countries involved in the US-led coalition that hattled Iraq. It was not clear whether that had happened again this time.

Harper said the inspectors entered the building in central Baghdad at 2:30 p.m. about 15 hours after Iraqi authorities refused to allow them in.

Charles Duelfer, deputy chairman of the Special Commission, told CNN yesterday that they inspectors had begun "what will be a very laborious inspection." There was no immediate word on whether they found any weapons-related documents.

"Undouhtedly, since it took us so long to gain access to that building, the value of the inspection is diminished."

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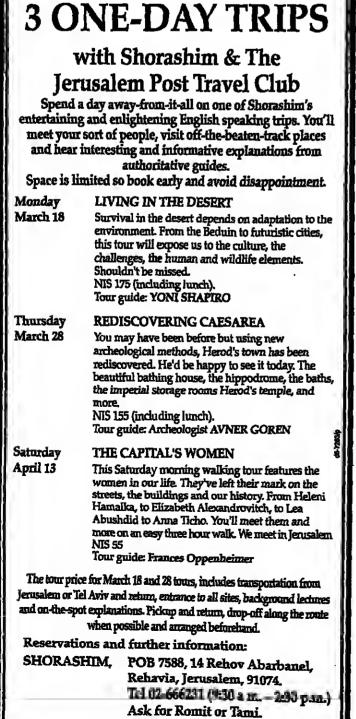
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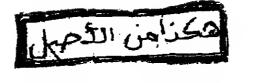
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HEALTH

Using pets to achieve better parenting When X rays

JUDY SIEGEL-ITZKOVICH

In the center of a circle of wideeyed kindergarten children and their parents. Dr. Naftali Primor stands and gently strokes the head of a baby alligator.

The thoroy reptile reacts like a spoiled child or a pet dog, arching its neck for more.

"Parents." Primor says over the din of his audience. "Do you see this? If an alligator needs physical contact and warmth, your children certainly do- Hug them as often as you can.'

This is the main psychological message of Primor's regular visits to kindergartens in disadvantaged areas, a project sponsored by the the Karev Educational Enrichment Program (KEEP) Karev based in Jerusalem.

Using repules, mammals and hirds from the menagerie he has built up over many years, the zoologist teaches overburdened, stressed parents and children the importance of enjoying memorable experiences logether.

Arriving one recent afternoon at a kindergarten in Jerusalem's Ir Ganim neighborhood, Primor unloads dozens of plastic enclosures and metal cages inside. The parents and their kids peek in, guessing what the stranger types of creatures are and trying to touch the more familiar, less imposing ones like the mice and hares.

As Amitza Kochavi, the kindergarten teacher, rounds up the youngsters, Primor explains his theories of informal family therapy. Parents pressed hy economic prohlems or husy careers must spend much of their energy making ends meet or cultivating their business, he says. They may be absent from the home for long hours and unable to afford babysitters, so their children are left alone with no adult to talk to. We raise our kids, hut we don't find enough time for them. Try not to let the magic moments of their childhood pass unnoticed. Primor unlocks the cages and



A furry little monse lights up the faces of these kindergarten children. The parents, meanwhile, learn the value of spending quality time with their children.

frees their occupants, while his andience, divided up among a number of groups, watch expectantly. A large, eight-year-old female iguana, looking like a painted dinosaur, emerges to the oohs and ahs of the children. "Touch her, she's not slimy.

Look how nice she is," he prompts them. They do so, the parents no less hesitatingly than their youngsters. The iguana seems perfectly happy perched on the top of the kindergarten's puppet theater and remains there for two hours.

They need no pushing to cuddle the furry, pink-eyed hares, which Primor explains are mistakenly called rabhits. He shows them how to take the mice out of their cage by holding them gently by the tail, advising them not to let the little rodents run free and hide. Oblivious to the tumult, a large turtle prefers to sleep in a box,

while Primor explains how turtles reproduce, what they eat and how their age can be estimated.

The suricate, a monkey-like animal with long prying fingers that originates in South Africa, is so impatient inside his cage that his frenetic movements knock it over. Primor releases him and offers him for holding. A furry ferret holding her two-week-old baby in her mouth fascinates the children as Primor explains her diet and living habits. A red-feathered chicken is hugged but looks like she'd rather be elsewhere, while a frog in his plastic enclosure croaks and peers at the children.

And then he pulls out one snake after another. Making a special effort (after the disastrous publicity over the Magen David Adom blood collection policy), Primor gives special attention to an Ethiopian-immigrant mother and her four children aged from eight

months to five years, one of whom is a child in Amitza's kindergarten. "You had snakes like these in Ethiopia, didn't you? Were you afraid of them?" Primor asks, making the immigrant family the center of interest.

"Yes, we knew a lot about snakes." said the mother, who had immigrated with her husband and one bahy in Operation Solomon. "But we knew the difference between the poisonous ones and the harmless ones." The audience even manage to warm up to the snakes, which curl up into a hall and prove to have cool, dry skin that's even pleasant to touch.

All the while, Primor keeps an eye on the animals to make sure that his enthusiastic audience don't squeeze or hug them too much. With endless patience, he answers a stream of questions about the animals' age, diet,

reproduction, likes and habits. Not pretending to be a profes-sional family therapist, Primor nevertheless thinks that intimate encounters hy parents and chil-dren with animals can bring famihes closer together. "I am certain that these experiences have longterm effects when they go home. says the Lodz-born animal lover, who traces his enthusiasm for reptiles to his boyhood, when he canght snakes and set np a minia-ture zoo on his balcony with his father's help.

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For years, Primor ran a reptile park with 1.000 different specimens in four small rooms in the Hebrew University's Terra Sancta building, across the street from the Prime Minister's Residence in Rehavia.

University officials allowed him to use the ramshackle premises in exchange for teaching highschool pupils about animals. Recently, it finally moved to Kibhutz Tzova southwest of Jerusalem, and hundreds of youngsters make trips to see the animals each week.

Bat for KEEP's project, Primor takes some of the animals on excursions to kindergartens. "KEEP was established hy the Charles R. Bronfman (Karev) Foundation five years ago, explains Dafna Rosenheck, who is responsible for kindergarten projects for KEEP.

"We get numerous proposals for bolstering educational content and increasing the involvement of parents and local authorities in the schools," she explains. "I went to see Dr. Primor's efforts, and was impressed. The parents and children are enthusiastic about what be does.

About 8 percent of KEEP's budget is financed by the Karev Foundation. The bulk comes from the Education Ministry, the local authorities and parents. Its variety of enrichment projects have reached 140,000 children in development towns and in disadvantaged neighborhoods in urban areas around the country.

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omen who underwent an abdominal or pelvic X ▼ ray at the beginning of their pregnancy, before they knew they were expecting, have no cause for worry. A study of 52 children born to women exposed to such diagnostic X rays during the first trimester were found to suffer from no developmental problems.

problems. The study, published in the Israel Journal of Medical Sciences, was carried out by Prof. Asher Ornoy, Dr. Nathan Patias and Dr. Lev Schwartz of the teratology laboratory of the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School and the Jerusalem Institute for Child Development.

High doses of ionizing irradiation, mainly in therapeutic doses, have been known to cause defects in the skeleton, eyes and brains of human fetuses, but low doses of X rays do not cause such physical defects. Exposure to high doses of X rays during the later stages of pregnancy may affect the hahy's braio, but such late exposure is very rare - of 1,291 women referred to the teratology lab over a period of five years for consultation regarding X rays, only five bad been exposed during the last six months of pregnancy.

The problem is much more common among women who undergo X rays before they know they are pregnant. The researchers therefore wanted to know whether such irradiation during the early stages of pregnancy can affect functional hrain

development, They compared children born to women who had been exposed in early pregnancy to diagnostic X rays with children born to those who had not. The groups were paired by socioeconomic status. No differences were found in the results of the medical, neurological, cognitive and motor exams. the team reported. They thus conclude that embryonic or fetal exposure to X rays in doses below five rads does not seem to have

HEART DOESN'T

counseling sessious, complete with refreshments, to reduce fears of the nnknown. Explanations are given by nurses, doctors and psychologists, with whom the children are invited to play simulation games. When the young patient finally reaches the catheterization room, his siblings and a number of pre-

sents are waiting for him. The parents accompany him inside and may remain there until the child is anesthetized. They then wait outside and receive regular reports on progress during the procedure. The day after the catheterization, the child is awarded with a special certifi-

The child and his family also

undergo individual and group

BETTER TO KNOW A 14-year-old boy who partici-pated in a special Clalit Health Fund medical workshop for adolescents quickly applied the knowledge he picked up. Suffering from acute pain in his lower abdomen three days after the seminar, he reported the problem and doctors surgically treated a strangulated testicle. According to nurses at Clalit's Zevulun Clinic in the north, adolescents who suffer such sudden pain often delay informing their parents.

The unusual workshop discusses "safe sex" and also teaches teenage girls to conduct selfexams of the breast and boys to conduct self-exams of their testicles. In the case of the 14-year-old, doctors found that one testicle had rotated in the scrotum. If it hadn't been treated within six bours, irreversible damage would have set in due to lack of blood supply and the testicle would have had to be removed.

ISRAELI-BORN MD WINS KUDOS

We'd be more pleased if he were still here, but an Israeli emigrant physician living in New York has been named one of the "Best Doctors in the US" in an article published in American Health magazine. Dr. Gady Har-El, deputy head of the car-nose-

The terror: Who is there to help the rescuers?

JUDY SIEGEL-ITZKOVICH

AGEN David Adom professionals and volunteers V Lknow exactly what to do when faced with the nightmare of a hus explosion: they temporarily bury their emotions and function coolly and competently to save lives. But who binds up the emotional wounds of the rescuers when they return to their stations



none of them said they had had enough, that they wanted to leave MDA. They all wanted to get back onto their amhulances. I really admire these young people. They are totally dedicated to sav-

ing lives." The three psychologists them-selves, who heard but did not see horrible things, were themselves shaken. "We needed debriefing 100, but you have to be willing to

hy meeting in a group. But finding those at high risk is difficult, because we don't want to label people.' Bringing with him experience in

treating Holocaust survivors and their children, the 'Amcha' psychologist says that horrible experiences that continued for years can be no less traumatic today any effect on development during childbood. than sbort-lived events such as terror attacks.

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· Surprisingly. in a country cursed by recurrent terror attacks, there is no organized setup for "de-briefing" doctors, nurses, MDA workers, hevra kadisha volunteers and passersby wbo witness terrorist outrages and their aftermath.

Hospitals have psychiatrists and psychologists to consult, if someone feels the need; the hus companies have some kind of support system for their drivers. Workers who can't take the emotional bearing or distance themselves from their jobs when they go home usually drop out from careers that expose them to such horrors.

Amcha, a voluntary organization that provides psychological help to Holocaust survivors and their children, sent a team of three psychologists to MDA's Jerusalem branch within hours of the first hus No. 18 explosion on February 25; they rashed there a week later on March 3 when many of the same staffers returned from the second bas No. 18 out-

rage. "Yoram Amit, a psychologist who is head of the Jerusalem branch of Amcha, was in touch with MDA's Jerusalem director Avraham Halbersberg, and when this happened, we decided we should go over," says Dr. Danny Brom, Amcha's research coordinator and a clinical psychologist at Herzog Memorial Hospital-Ezrat Nashim.

"The staff were very happy to see us, because they needed somebody to talk to."

Brom, who was born in Holland and came on aliya in 1988 after spending 11 years working in the field of trauma, notes that Holland and other generally placid European countries are better

Magen David Adom personnel attend to the terror victims, bat they themselves are not immune from the trauma.

organized than Israel to debrief public workers exposed to traumatic events. Teams go in to dehrief within

24 to 48 hours after the event. The field is neglected here. In the US and Europe, debriefing of traumatized people is a hig business." The effects of horrible events

such as the bus explosions include not only post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), which is well known. "Victims also suffer from depression and from dissociative disorders, in which they feel dis-connected to the world," Brom explains. "Many people who witness such an event can cope on their own and get enough support from their family, friends and colleagues at work. But others need

professional help." Amit, Brom and their Amcha colleague Yvonne Tauber went m MDA-Jerusalem and invited everyone who had taken part in

treating the wounded and evacuating the dead to sit down for a talk. "There were about 30 who came in, hut surprisingly, there were no doctors among them. Perhaps they were ashamed to seek help or felt they didn't need it," Brom recalled.

Those who did participate were in shock, a bit confused and had lots of questions, says Broin.

"Teenage boys didn't seems any more resilient than the girls. There was no difference between the religious ones and the secular ones. People died in their arms. and they wanted to know whether they had done enough.

"They spoke about their helplessness to prevent the event and their anger al what had happened, but no one spoke about hating Arabs.

"Even though many of them are still teenagers volunteering for the joh or doing national service.

what they feel."

It's best, Brom continues, to let them talk. "They mustn't hold in even the most gory details. They must describe what they saw, touched, heard and smelled."

There are two basic reactions: some try to avoid going back to the place where the traumatic event occurred, while others try 10 re-experience it by returning to the place. Both, says Brom, are entirely normal.

Many rescue workers here and abroad say they can function well in a disaster in most cases, but when they come upon a dead or seriously injured child, they break down

It is MDA policy that ambu-lance staffers' contact with patients and their families ends when they reach the hospital. They don't know whether the person they treated and evacuated lived or died. They read the papers, hul often they don't iden-

tify them. I think it's a good policy, because if they were to establish emotional links with the patients. they couldn't function as well." Although traumatized staffers

are almost universally relieved to have been allowed to talk about what they experienced, says Brom, "there are nevertheless serious questions about long-term efficacy. It is not certain how much debriefing prevents the development of pathological problems, whether people who

really need it actually get help. "We are slowly moving to another model: of actually looking for people who are at high risk for psychological disorders resulting from frauma, instead of debriefing everyone. We can screen those who had been witnesses through questionnaires or

clauve disorders can su in their system. They may feel

they are almost physically there in the Holocaust era. Long-term trauma can have much deeper influences and become part of one's personality. People who witnessed a single traumatic event may 'see' it over and over, but

they constitute a minority." Brom hopes that some professional, coordinated effort will be launched to provide appropriate help m victims of trauma and their rescuers. Debriefing does not have to be oral.

Brom found consolation by writing about his experiences to the trauma forum of professionals that has been set up on the Internet. "Colleagues from around the world were very sympathetic and supportive," he says.

SKIP A BEAT Undergoing a coronary catheter-

gram to prepare youngsters for such invasive procedures. The

Clalit Health Fund, which owns

the hospital, reports that the fami-ly's anxiety before the procedure

nearly disappears as a result of

A month hefore the procedure,

the child receives a colorful book-

let explaining the whole proce-dure, in which a catheter is pushed

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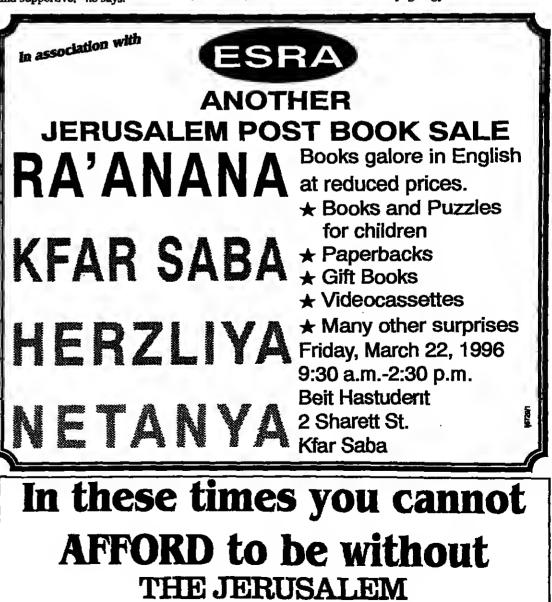
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Island College Hospital in Brooklyn, was cited on the basis ization is a scary thing for an adult, let alone a child. The of a nationwide survey. Doctors were asked to name the specialists catheterization unit at Schneider they would use themselves or to whom they would send a relative Children's Medical Center of Israel in Petah Tikva has introor patient. duced a special information pro-

Har-El. a graduate of Ben-Gurion University's medical school, went to the US a decade ago to continue his professional education, and remained there. He specializes in surgery of the head and neck in cancer patients, of the sinuses and the base of the skull. He serves as assistant professor of neurosurgery at the State University of New York-Health Science Center and holds positions on various medical committees specializing in otolaryngology.



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've noticed that there is a new vaccina tion against hepatitis A. Since this dis-Lease spreads easily in day-care centers, kindergartens and the army, should everyone be vaccinated? Y.D., Karmiel.

Prof. Jonathan Halevy, a liver expert and director-general of Jerusalem's Shaare Zedek Hospital, replies:

The vaccine, which is marketed under various names, is very effective and safe. We don't know if it can protect people against hepatitis A infection for life, but it will do so for many

Most Israelis have been exposed to hepatitis A; they get it latently, without being aware of it. Unlike other types of infectious hepatitis, such as type B and C, it does not pose long-term

all bahies.

POST HEALTH REPORTER with the hepatitis B vaccine, one can expect health dangers to the large majority of people.

There are, however, outhreaks of hepatitis A in the army, day-care centers, kindergartens and other institutions. Although the disease is unpleasant, it is short lived. High-risk groups include those living under crowded conditions, as the disease spreads through contact with intestinal excremons.

Vaccination against hepatitis A

effective but expensive

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The vaccine is currently relatively expensive (between NIS 83 and NIS 123, depending on whether it's for children or adults). It is not part of the Health Ministry's mandatory vaccinations supplied by the family health centers to

It is not cost-effective at present to prevent cases of a disease that passes without complications. When the price goes down, as it has

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Theater of the absurd

PRIME ministers, like plainer mortals, are entitled to indulge their hobbies – provided they neither cause harm nor raid the public till. Unfortunately, Prime Minister Shimon Peres's hohhy - producing grandiose international conferences - is often both costly and harmful. That he teods to attach monumeotal historic importance to these productioos turns them from merely emharrassing tahleaux into the theater of the absurd.

Perhaps the most spectacular of these farces was the Casablanca conference, touted at the time as the historic curtain raiser to the New Middle East. Its only achievement was to prove that the old Middle East is not only alive and thriving, but as inhospitable to Israel as ever. The conference's most illuminating documeot was a booklet of proposed regional projects issued by the Egyptian government, a regime with which Israel has had peace for 17 years. The name Israel oever appeared in the book oeither in the text oor in maps of the region. And just to make sure that Egypt's message was not lost, President Hosni Muharak later referred to the whole concept of a New Middle East as "frightening."

Now, too, Peres has called for an international conference, ostensibly to discuss the scourge of terrorism and ways to comhat it. And again he let it be known that the conference is a great historic milestone, as important as the opening of the Madrid conference in 1991, which launched the current "peace process."

It requires no special penchant for cynicism to determine that the real purpose of the conference has nothing to do with the war on terrorism. Mubarak has called it a conference to save the "peace process" - the standard Egyptian euphemism for Israel's withdrawal to its "natural size," the 1949 armistice lines.

Washington is even hlunter. According to the New York Times, "senior American officials said they boped that such a broad gathering, and Mr. Clinton's participation in it, would ... belp to strengthen Mr. Peres's political standing and his efforts? to persuade Israelis to persist in the peace efforts. It would also be a showcase for Mr. Clinton's peacemaking efforts in an eleclion year."

Clearly, then, this is nothing more than a rescue operation for two leaders - Peres and Yasser Arafat – in whom the US administration A letines lesition letinetadus has anital As

to bolt Likud and help Peres form a governmeot. Cooversely, some Israeli leaders have been unahle to resist voicing their preferences in American presideotial contests. In 1972, Yitzhak Rahin virtually endorsed Richard Nixon, and Ezer Weizman tried to help Jimmy Carter get re-elected in 1980. But such mutual interventions were usually restricted to the ministerial or ambassadorial level. It is rare that the presideot of the US puts the prestige of his office on the line by openly and actively belping an Israeli candidate.

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True, Clinton's predecessor George Bush was such an exceptioo. He made clear that Israel's access to loan guarantees would be available only if it voted for Labor, and the implied threat undoubtedly helped Rabin get elected. But what Clintoo is doing is far riskier. To help "his" candidate, he is openly endorsing a policy which a majority of Israel's Jewish population deems responsible for the terrorist carnage of the past 31 months. It is one thing to support a "peace process" in the abstract. It is quite another to urge Israel to continue its withdrawal from areas vital to its defense.

Nor can the president's participation in a conference which is bound to encourage terrorism add to America's prestige. What best betrays the nature of this gathering is Mubarak's invitation to Syria, one of the four leading sponsors of terrorism, to join the proceedings. Even Iran has expressed interest in participating, for it, too - according to its ambassador in Bonn - is a victim of terrorism.

Surely, if Syria is invited there is no reason to keep Iran out - particularly since the Europeans are falling over each other trying to sign commercial contracts with the Teheran regime. The event is beginning to resemble the conference on buman rights once convened by the Soviet regime, which only helped the Soviet oppres-sors, not the victims of oppression.

Islamic terrorism is indeed a world problem, and to combat it efficiently, Western governments should collaborate on the intelligence and operational levels. To make it a super-summit extravaganza and invite dictatorial regimes to the show is to mock the deadly serious task facing Western civilization.

Nor should it be forgotten that terrorism against Israel is not just a sister-act of the terrorist campaign in Algeria and Egypt. It is nart of a war against the Jewish state whose goals are shared hy many of the participants in Wednesday's production at Sbarm e-Sheikh. The only possible result of soch a conference is that odious dictatorships, some of which do not allow their emissaries to set foot in Israel, will attain Western approval by pretending that they, too, are against hlowing up buses. It is nothing less than shameful that such a deception is initiated by the Israeli government, and sponsored by the world's greatest democracy.



A dangerous hypnosis

This is peace? "Israelis Unnerved by

Peace That Kills" ran the Washington Post headline of March 5

Peace that kills? This is an absurd oxymoron. If peace means anything, it means at its very minimum an absence of violence. After all, "armistice" and "truce" - lesser forms of peace - mean cease-fire. Peace must mean at least that.

This Orwellian conjunction of peace and violence demonstrates the state of hypnosis that Americans and Israelis have placed themselves under since the September 1993 bandshake on the White House lawn. What followed has been called a peace process.

It has been nothing of the kind. The Palestinian war on Israel has been unrelenting. More Israeli citizens have been massacred since that handshake than at any time in the eotire history of the country.

The "peace process" is in fact nothing more than a unilateral withdrawal. The Israeli Palestinians have gotten Gaza, West Bank autonomy, hnge influxes of foreign aid, international recognition, their own police force, and their first free elections ever (something their Turkish, British, Egyptian and Jordanian rulers never granted them).

In return, Israel has gotten what? Pats on the head from the US. The occasional trade mission from Tunisia. And, from the Palestinians, death. This is peace?

CHARLES KRAUTHAMMER

moral. He is upset because these give it up when they deceived bombings interrupt the "peace process," i.e. the Israeli handover Arafat would take over their to him of territory and power. (He was supposed to get Hebron this defense. Now they know. Israel has instead created a Trojan horse. month and start negotiating for Jerusalem in May.) inviting armed Palestinians into its heartland within commuting

MORAL objections to terror? Arafat is the father of Palestinian

Israelis and Americans must wake up and reject this Orwellian

conjunction of peace and violence

completely stopped, but it will be harder. terrorism. Twenty years ago his men were murdering Israeli athletes at the Up to now the Palestinians have gotten everything promised in Oslo: recognition, territory, financing, legitimacy. Israel asked for only one thing in return – peace – and has gotten the worst blockhol in the torse Olympics, civilians in the cities of Israel, and the American ambassador in Sudan. That was then, you say.

Then? Ever since returning to bloodshed in its history. No peace, Gaza under the Israel-PLO accords, he has (in Arabic of course, never in English) lauded the "martyrs" - suicide murderers no peace process. Subcontracting one's national defense is over. Israel will need to - and called for jihad. He publicly mourned and praised "The send armed units to either scize or Engineer," the Hamas terrorist and master bomb-maker responsible destroy the Hamas terrorist net-

step

GABI SHEFFER

The prime minister stands accused of a lack of leader ship, of being unable to launch a ruthless war against Palestinian terror.

Yet critics also blame him for not succumbing to the public's noisy demand to launch such a war.

While there is certainly a need to combat terror, this is not the most. crucial test of the prime minister's leadership. The vital test is Peres's ability to pursue his previous strategy, now widely regarded as a sign. of weakness.

Peres's leadership will, moreover, be tested by his stamina and his ability to draw the ultimate conclusions from the logic of his previous strategy. As great leaders - among whom

Peres may be numbered - know there are two types of leadership, "transactive" and "transformative." The main mission of the transactive leader is to protect existing values and interests, carefully steering the nation in traditional directions.

Such leaders maintain regular. exchanges with their followers, and in return for imparting a sense of security and immediate satisfaction receive continued political support. Party, parliamentary, bureaucratic, and communications leaders,

Although these leaders perform an important function in stable political situations, they usually leave no imprint on history. Lacking the courage to initiate bold policies, they retreat under public pressure, or from fear of losing support.

Let's look at "transformative" leaders.

They tend to come to the fore during periods of crisis and change." They succeed in shaping their envi-ronment, changing their nation and region.

They are aware of the world's and their nation's deeper needs, are ready to risk their popularity for the sake of progress, and are not afraid of losing the immediate sympathy of their followers.

Spiritual leaders, outstanding ideologues, heroic nation-builders, and reformers all belong to this category. These are generally the lead-ers who leave their imprint on his-

Despite the tremendous halo Yitzhak Rabin acquired toward the tragic end of his life, he will go down in history as a transactive leader, because he very cautiously continued pursuing old strategies and policies. He lacked a broad vision and the intellectual ability to pave his own path and bring about

feadessly set on his own unique

BUT PERES'S behavior after the

recent terrible events raises doubts

Instead of courageously continu-

ing to move toward peace, pres-

sure from the public and shortsight-

ed politicians has pushed him to

declare a questionable "war" which

might not only fail to achieve its

stated goal, but also backfire, oblit-

erating all his previous achieve-

By following this warlike path,

Peres may lose his status as a trans-

formative leader, and Israel its best

chance for solving the conflict with

For once there is a sovereign

Palestinian state, it will be easier to

hold it responsible for dealing

harshly with all kinds of terrorism.

of his peace vision is responsible

for Peres's change of heart. The

main reason is an ideological diffi-

culty: taking the last logical step

toward peace - making an open

declaration of Israel's acceptance.

Peres's main problem is his con-

tinuing objection to total separation

of the two nations, and his old com-

mitment to the worn-out Jordanian

option. He has failed to understand

that total separation and the eventu-al establishment of a Palestinian

state will also solve the problem of

Despite the ill-judged views of the right and various "security

experts," the establishment of a Palestinian state is not only the

right moral conclusion to the peace

process; it also provides clear

strategic, political, and economic

advantages for Israel. It will free Israel of numerous almost impossi-

Peres should resume his previous

policy. A clear commitment to the

peace process and full recognition of the Palestinians' right to self-determination, coupled with the

presentation of a clear social and

economic platform, will put him back in the position of a transfor-

mative leader bravely guiding his

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major change. Unlike Rabin politicians, Shimon Peres, late in his political career, became a transformative leader. In the face of widespread mockery, he fixed bold targets aimed at changing the face of Israel and the Middle East. He seemed a leader



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such, it is a barely disguised intervention in Israel's election process.

It would be oaive to pretend that this is the first time Washington is interfering in Israeli elections. Every American ambassador, including the current Martin Indyk, has shown little inhibition about advertising Washingtoo's preferences in Israel's political races. One such ambassador continued the practice even after be became ambassador to the UN, when he asked Ahba Eban to persuade one of the baredi parties

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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REAL ISSUE

Sir, - I am writing to protest your publishing the article "The day they stopped believing" by Esther Hertzog on February 2. Her language and theories were quite disgraceful and insulting. The issue are "real" and clearly need to be addressed, hut the ugly tone of her article ignored the many people who volunteered their time and the paid professionals wbo interacted with the Ethiopian immigrants in exemplary fashion.

I once cared for a young girl sev-eral times at Boston Children's Hospital during 1992, who contracted AIDS from a blood transfusion from a donor who at the time of donating his blood was HIV negative and only a few months later was tested HIV positive. Magen David Adom simply hopes to avoid a similar tragedy from occurring here. Even if the rate of HIV were only triple and not 50 times as claimed - would not the Ethiopians themselves prefer to receive a transfusion from someone

other than their fellow immigrants? I would like to commend Judy Siegel's article about chastising the Ma'ariv reporter for his exposé. It was well balanced and civilized in its criticism:

DR. RENEE BAND

Omer.

JERUSALEM COMPANY

Sir. - You reported on February 16 that Faisal Husseini is proposing to set up a public company for the purpose of forming a Palestinian administration in Jerusalem.

Since the proposed company is to be "public," it is presumably to be open to Jews as well as Moslems. If not, then the organization would be blatantly racist. An appeal to the courts would, one hopes, result in its being declared illegal. If Jews are not to be barred, then

all the citizens of Jerusalem can pay their shekel to join and thus have a say in the composition of the board of directors.

OSCAR DAVIES Jerusalem.

CHARITY BEGINS **PROTECTING BUS** AT HOME

RIDERS Sir. - The recent wave of borrific demonstration hy Israeli farmers at terror attacks has seemingly left us the Nahal Oz checkpoint, it looks as all helpless to defend ourselves. But if oot only the Israeli market is being there is one easy, inoffensive, nonflooded with cheap Palestinian discriminatory and low-cost strategy produce. already available to us which we have not yet tried, but which could cle of February 16, the "fruits of make it immediately more difficult peace" (cuphemism for Palestinian for terrorists to slip onto our huses unnoticed.

quire some instruction and training -

the only extra investment neces-

sary). While it might take slightly

more time to board a bus, it would

effective longer-term measures.

HANNAH WEISS

possibly save lives.

transportation.

Ariel

strawberries, etc.), labeled "Product of Palestine," are also appearing on the shelves of London supermarkets like Sainsbury, Tesco, Waitrose, When boarding a bus, each rider should have in one hand his fare and in the other his identity card. Every-Morrisons and Asda. The project, one bas some kind of identification warmly supported by Mr. Major, Mr. Arafat and former foreign secrewith his/her picture on it - Israeli citizens have their ID, tourists have tary Lord Owen (now chairman of their passports. All soldiers in unithe London-based importers "Agriform have, in addition, their metal farm") will no doubt depress still ID tags. In theory, all these people further Israeli exports which are alare required hy law to carry such ready suffering from preferential documents on the persons at all treatment given to agricultural produce from EU countries. The effectiveness of this precau-

As the project is said to also have tion would mainly depend on the the backing of the Israeli prime mindiligence of the drivers in really ister, perhaps Mr. Peres ought to be looking at the identification presentreminded that charity still begins at ed and on their ability to recognize a home. counterfeit document (this might re-

R WILLERS Wembley Park, Middx.

Sir. - With reference to the recent

According to the Jewish Chroni-

REVOCATION OF DRIVING LICENSE

Sir, - 1 refer m Frances Frey's It would take little effort to quickletter of February 14, "Traffic acci-dents." The administrative revocaly push through a law that would require any rider over the age of 13 tion of the driver's license does not to show a picture ID to ride public replace a trial and judgment. It is imposed in addition to the legal This may only work short-term, measures to be taken on the realistic since identification can sooner or presumption that charges will be brought against the driver. This imlater be successfully forged. But it would likely take the terror organimediately keeps the driver off the zations more time and expertise to road for 90 days, by which tune he come up with convincing IDs than should be brought to trial. Thus, to obtain extra IDF uniforms. In the there is no basis for the writer's meantime, our government could complaint, which is probably based buy valuable time to come up with on ignorance of the law.

DR. DAN LINK. Deputy Director, Road Safety Administration Jerusalem.

The Labor Party's idea was that it would give up the territories and cootract out antiterrorism to Yasser Arafat.

It has not worked out that way. From the beginning it was obvious that Arafat was either unable or unwilling to control Hamas. If unable, the peace process was an illusion; if unwilling, it was a deceptioo.

Deception is more likely. After the latest bomhing, Arafat reportedly warned Hamas leaders to get out of the country before they could be arrested. They will oow be free to kill again.

This should not surprise us. After all, Arafat's occasional and four bombings in nine days creates the occasion - denunciations of terrorism are tactical, not

picture is complete."

week.

The picture oo the screen was

that of a frighteoed 20-year-old

Palestinian. Mohammed Ahu

Warda, who had been arrested, tried, convicted and senienced

to life imprisoomeot hy the

Palestine Authority within 48

hours this week. He confessed

to having recruited three of the

four suicide hombers of last

Now Yasser Arafat rolled him

before the cameras to tell the

world be was sorry, he was

wroog, that nnbody should do

this again and that his Hamas

bosses ordered him to do it for Likud.

Watching this fabulous exhibi-

tion, right ont of the Soviet

Union, circa 1938, was Shimon

Peres, and the Israeli TV cam-

eras showed him sitting there on

"We saw the head of the snake

just now," said Peres. What be

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for the deaths of dozens of Jews. When too many Jews are killed at once, however, and pressure builds, Arafat rounds up the usual suspects, low-level nobodies, and then lets them go a few days later. Israel, the US and the world go along with this charade.

Israel's defense theology has always beeo forward defense. Fight the enemy on his territory. Why? Because Israel's territory is so small and its population so concentrated that any battle within Israel would prove catastrophic both to civilian life and civilian morale. As we are seeing today. That was the reason for Israel's 25-year occupation of the West Bank and Gaza. Not because Israelis bungered for a "Greater Israel," but because it was the only way to safely surveil, harass, disrupt and fight Palestinians bent

Relying on a killer's word

SIDNEY ZION

really saw was the latest poll. How desperate he must be to accept the word of a man who helped arrange the worst series of terrorist attacks in Israeli history. Eveo if Peres helieves that Abu Warda was telling the truth,

is israel

mass-producing dumb Jews?

was neither coached nor coerced by Arafat's legions, be has no business as head of the Jewish state to credit sncb a killer. Politics ain't beanhag, hut we

are talking about survival here if people can't walk on the streets of Tel Aviv, it's over for Israel. Yet Peres endorses the "testimony" of a oervous-wreck kid under sentence of life to slander his opposition. If that's not the definition of shamelessoess, Peres had better write a

to establish for the Palestinians. I mean, 48 hours from arrest to life? Yet Shimon Peres' dream of a New Middle East was hot-

works that plan and direct these atrocities.

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on killing Jews and destroying the

It was a classic defensive occu-

pation. Which is why a majority

of Israelis were so delighted to

themselves into helieving that

It is as if the US had invited the

most murderous Peruvian Maoists

into the suburbs of Washington,

granted them autonomy and sanc-

tuary, and then was surprised

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First, seal the borders between

Israel and the Palestinian territo-

ries. No commerce, oo inter-

course. Infiltratioo will not be

Second, stop the peace process.

distance of its major cities.

Pennsylvania Avenue.

What to do?

Third,

Jewish state.

The Palestinians and other Arabs will then, of course, go run-ning to the UN Security Council to get Israel denounced for these elementary acts of self-defense. This is where the US comes in.

should declare unequivocally that these terrorist attacks oo Israel are acts of war, that every country has the right to selfdefense, and that the US will therefore veto any attempt to coodemn Israel for exercising that right.

America's fingerprints are all over the Oslo accords, so this is the least it can do for a people that has suffered so terribly in their пате.

(Washington Post Writers Group)

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Palestine.Now the "peace

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wing rhetoric. The only true

security, said Peres - said Peace

Now, said the Labor govern-

ment - was a free Palestine,

divorced from us, but living in the same land. To achieve this

Nirvana, Peres ran around the

world raising mooey for the

Palestine Authority. Give the Arabs economic security and

The Israeli people hnry their

dead on this promise. And even

as they sit shiva, their prime

minister atands with Yasser Arafat, with Mohammed Abu

Warda. Who did it? The Likud.

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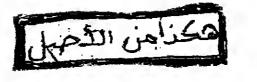
new dictionary. Look also at the democracy the peace process was supposed

It laid the Israeli people open

shamelessness of Shimon Peres came through in living color the other night on Israeli TV wheo be eodorsed the word of a Hamas conspirator that the sui-

process" - a misnomer if there ever was one - lies in Jewish body counts, more than 200 murdered, bundreds seriously injured since the handshake in the Rose Gardeo. Shimoo Peres more than any man - and he has the Nobel Prize to prove it was the architect of this process.

cide bombings were done to elect Likud and destroy the peace process. "It didn't surprise me," Peres said. "I never wanted to use this, but now the





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Campaigns distract business at hand

How to break Pat Buchanan's code of hatred

By Alan Dershowitz

Those who claim not to bear bigotry in Pat Buchanan's words have simply not yet btoken his code. This expert wordsmith has developed a clever code which allows him to be understood as the bigot he really is by those who share his bigotry, while maintaining some degree of plausible deniability to those who share his economic and social policies but not his bigotry. The code is fairly transparent to those who have followed Buchanan's doublespeak over his long career.

Here are some clues to the Buchanan bigotry code. He loves to use surnames as a surrogate for ethnicity. For example, when complaining about the economy, Buchanan emphasizes the names of "Goldman, Sachs," "Robert Rubin" and "Alan Greenspan." To his neo-Nazi and milina supporters, this translates as "Jewish Wall Street bankers." To his non-bigoted supporters, it is merely a series of names.

When talking about political insiders, Buchanan's favorite example is Bob Strauss. When crinicizing the Supreme Court, he always focuses on Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. As The New York Times reports, he "linger[s] with great relish on each of the syllables" in her name, so as to "speak in code, using xenophobic images like (his reference to all Mexicans as 'Jose') or anti-Semitic refetences to excite bigots without alienating mainstream voters."

Nor is this a new tactic. During the weeks prior to the Gulf War, Buchanan charged that people named Kissinger, Rosenthal, Pearl and Kranthamer - all Jews - were pushing America into a war in which the fighting (and the dying) would be done by "kids with names like McAllister, Murphy, Gonzales and Letoy Brown." It was, of course, a lie to suggest that only Jews supported the popular Gulf War, or that only non-Jews serve in the Army, but the juxtaposition of Jewish and Christian names made Buchanan's bigoted point that Christians die for Jewish interests.

In his autobiography, Buchanan once again uses names as a code for how his hero Joseph McCarthy was brought down by the actions of Jews: "When Roy Cohn and David Schine maneuvered Joe into his battle with the Army (with Cohn accused of trying to get the wealthy Schine pampered Army treatment other American kids had never got), they put him on the wrong side ...," against people with names like "MacArthur and Eisenhower and Patton and Bradley (and) Audie Murphy and Willie and Joe." The bigots know how to read this: "Jews" sought mote favorable treatment than real "Americans" and then "maneuvered" a great patriot against the American Army and destroyed him. Another transparent effort to appeal to neo-Nazi and militia support in code was Buchanan's reference to Congress as "Israelioccupied territory." Most Americans do not know that one of the most common slogans of the neo-Nazis and milina is that America is a "Zionist occupied government." Indeed, the initials "ZOG" appear as graffiti. posters and on bumper stickers of the neo-Nazis and militias. Buchanan's reference to "Israeli-occupied territory" was a clear signal to the ZOG crowd. Even Buchanan's pet phrase - "America First" - sounds innocent enough to those without an historical memory. But those old enough to recall the 1920s and 1930s are put in mind of Father Charles Coughlin and other bigots throughout American history, who were heroes in the Buchanan family. Yet another series of coded phrases by which Buchanan appeals to violent skinheads and militias is his constant invocation of gun rhetoric. His campaign slogan "lock and load," his call to "ride to the sound of the guns," and his repeated references to "peasants coming over the hills with pitchforks" are all calculated to get the juices flowing among the most violent racists who support him.

Presidential campaigns are pulling such highpowered politicians such as Sen. Bob Dole and Rep. Robert Dornan away from their duties while critical legislation and congressional campaigns are being hotly contested.

BY ROBERT NOVAK

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Thile Sen. Bob Dole is pinned down fighting fot the Republican presidential nomination, he faces demands back on Capitol Hill that more of his duties as Senate majority leader be turned over to Majority Whip Trent Lott.

No senator is saying so publicly, but the watchword behind the scenes is "Let Lott lead!" Dole's relationship with Lott has always been 'cool, and while on the campaign trail, he has maintained day-to-day control of the Senate through his chief of staff, Sheila Burke. But

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WHITEWATER FILIBUSTER

Threats by Senate Democratic Leader Thomas Daschle to filibuster indefinite extension of the Senate Whitewater investigation were given a green light by President Clinton's political advisers.

That reflects belief in the White House that the televised investigation led by Sen. Alfonse

D'Amato poses greater political danger to President Clinton than the legal processes of Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr.

Many Democratic strategists outside the White House disagree. They say potential indictments by Starr are far more lethal than D'Amato's hearings and that a filibuster could give the public the impression of a Clinton cover-up.

IMMIGRATION POLITICS

Pat Buchanan inexplicably missed a golden opportunity in the Arizona Republican presidential primary when he failed to talk about Steve Forbes' opposition in 1994 to California's Proposition 187 to eliminate welfare for illegal immigrants.

Realizing the importance of immigration as an issue in Arizona, Buchanan continuously rweaked Forbes for a 1985 magazine column in which he referred to the flood of migrants across the American border as a "safety valve" for Mexico. But Buchanan neglected to point out Forbes' support for Jack Kemp and William Bennett, his colleagues at the Empower America. organization, in opposing Proposition 187.

Forbes advisers were waiting in apprehension for Buchanan to attack Empower America's tole in fighting the California proposition, but it never happened. That omission might have contributed to Forbes' upset victory in Arizona.

FORBES ACOLYTE

Dallas Republican political operative Jim Francis, a key supporter of Sen. Phil Gramm for president, is not following Gramm into Dole's camp, bur has decided to back Forbes.

Francis made thar decision when he watched the televised speech Forbes gave after his fourth-place finish in New Hampshire. Moved by Forbes' eloquence, Francis telephoned a mutual friend to offer his support. Francis was mastermind of the recent Texas election victories by Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and Gov. George W. Bush.

A footnote: Arizona Gov. Fife Symington

declined to support Dole for president and stayed neutral after Gramm, Symington's choice, dropped out of the race. Over dinnet shortly

The Orange County leaders told Dornan that his colorful, but futile, campaign for president had not helped him at home and that a serious Democratic effort to oust him was under way.

before the Arizona primary. Symington cold Buchanan he deplored the attacks on him by Republican leaders.

DORNAN, COME HOME

Republican leaders in Orange County, Calif., have called on Rep. Robert K. Dornan to abandon his failed presidential campaign and return home to defend his horly contested congressional seat.

The pleas were made after Doman's supporters were surprised to see him participating in the nationally televised debate from Tempe, Ariz. Dornan had indicated he was giving up his presidential pretensions after his poor showing in Iowa and New Hampshire.

The Orange County leaders rold Dornan that his colorful, but futile, campaign for president had not helped him at home and that a serious Democranic effort to oust him was under way. Dornan made no promises, but talked vaguely of the need to stay in the race to pick up federal matching funds.

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Any one of these code words standing alone may be explainable in non-bigoted terms. But only a fool or a knave would continue to ignore the plain - even if coded - meaning of these inflammatory words to those who want to be inflamed.

That is why Americans of every political stripe are beginning to see through Buchanan's code words. That is why New York City Mayor Rudolph Giuliani and Massachusetts Gov. William Weld have condemned Buchanan for his support of Nazi war criminals. That is why Gen. Colin Powell cannot support him. That is why William Bennett accused him of flirting with fascism. That is why Jack Kemp compares him to French Fascist Jean-Marie Le Pen. It is why Connecticut Sen. Christopher Dodd has said that the only difference between Buchanan and the skinheads is a little bit of hair. It is why AFL-CIO head John Sweeney has labeled Buchanan "a racist, he's anti-Semitic, he bashes women right along with labor and immigration "

Those who did not know of Buchanan's coded bigotry cannot be blamed for voting for him in the past. But now that the code has been btoken and Buchanan's bigotry exposed for all to see, no person who considers himself or herself moral can cast a vore for this racist bigot.

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Now it's Bob Dole's turn to reveal questionable ties

BY MICHAEL LIND

ast Saturday, voters cast their ballots in the critical South Carolina Republican primary giving Bob Dole 45 percent of the vote. Dole relied on his key ally, formet Gov. Carroll A. Campbell Jr., to win over centrist Republicans repulsed by Pat Buchanan's race and religion bairing. Carroll Campbell, it seems, represents the inclusive, New South wing of the GOP. Yikes.

Back in 1978, Campbell ran for Congress against former Greenville Mayot Max Heller, a Democrat and a Jew who fled from Nazi-occupied Austria. Five days before the election, an independent candidate, Don Sprouse, said that Heller should not be elected because as a Jew he did not "believe Jesus Christ has come yet." Heller lost the race to Campbell.

For years it has been rumored that Republican strategist Lee Atwater or someone else involved in the 1978 Campbell campaign encouraged Sprouse to say what he did. In 1986 in his newsletter The Baron Report, Democratic analyst Alan Baron reported that Campbell's New York-based poll taker, Arthur Finkelstein, had conducted a poll for him in 1978 to "determine the impact on the voters of the information that Heller was (1) a Jew; (2) a foreign-born Jew; and (3) a foreign-born Jew who did not "believe in Jesus Christ as the savior." Baron wrote that Finkelstein "learned that Heller could win with the first two pieces of information out, but not the third." According to a New York Times story of Sept. 24, 1986, Marvin Chernoff, another Democratic political consultant, claimed that Atwater told him that the Campbell campaign had thought "it would be great if the third candidate" used their polling information to undermine Heller. When this information surfaced during Campbell's 1986 campaign fot governor, he called Baron's account "outrageously wrong" and "inaccurate." Arwatet, while denying Chernoff's account of his words, admitted that Campbell's campaign manager had mer with Don Sprouse's lieutenants.

1978 poll Campbell commissioned would be troubling in itself. The poll, released in 1986, asked voters to choose the characteristics that best described Campbell and Heller: "(a) Honest, (b) A Christian man, (c) Concern for the people, (d) A hard worker, (e) Experienced in government, (f) Jewish." A second question asked voters which of 15 qualities would make them more ot less likely to vote for a candidate. Among these: "a nanve South Carolinian" and "a Jewish immigrant." According to Campbell, this was "legitimate demographic" polling. The interdenominational leaders who publicly condemned Campbell's poll questions in a 1986 press conference in Columbia thought otherwise.

It gets worse. In 1979, the new Republican tepresentative from South Carolina flew to Orlando, Fla., to speak at a seminar on "financial survival" sponsored by the Liberty Lobby, one of the major anti-Seminic organizanons in the United States. Campbell later claimed he had not known about the Liberty Lobby's reputation, even though conservative politicians and activists are generally vigilant in steering clear of the organization. According to Campbell, he spoke at the seminar because he had been asked to by an acquaintance who had sought a job in his House office but been turned down.

Campbell's explanation raises more questions than it answers. Was Campbell in the habit of addressing seminars at the request of disappointed office-seekers? Was he aware that the person who arranged his talk had worked for

The reference to a "favorite nation" in "the free world" rules out interpreting the speech as a warning against the influence in Washington of Cuban exiles. Was Campbell referring to the Norwegian lobby? The French lobby, perhaps?

In recent weeks, Bob Dole's campaign for the Republican presidential nomination has benefired from revelations about his opponents' ann-Semitic and whitesupremacist associations. Larry Pratt of Gun Owners of America stepped down as co-chairman of the Buchanan campaign when it was revealed that he had repeatedly spoken before groups espousing such views, including the annual Jubilee conference of the pro-Nazi Christian Identity movement. Buchanan defended Pratt, but his campaign distanced itself from other extremists, including a Buchanan volunteer who served as an officer in the National Association for the Advancement of White People. The Forbes campaign was tarnished by stories that the candidate relied on advice from strategist Thomas Ellis. Ellis helped Jesse Helms craft his infa-. mous "white hands" commercial, showing a white citizen crumpling a rejection slip while a voice-over explained that a "minority" had gotten the job (Helms went on to narrowly defeat black Democrat Harvey Gantt). Ellis has also served on the board of the Pioneer

Fund, founded in the 1930s 105 promote the reproduction of descendants of the "white pioneers." The Fund has subsidized much of the dubious scholarship on which Richard Herrnstein and Charles Murray base their allega-

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But even if one dismisses these allegations that the Campbell campaign encouraged Sprouse's anti-Semitic remarks, the

the Liberty Lobby's journal, Spotlight, which publishes articles claiming that the Holocaust was a hoax and Anne Frank's Diary a fake? Why would a freshman South Carolina congressman fly to Florida to address an obscure group for an honorarium of only \$500?

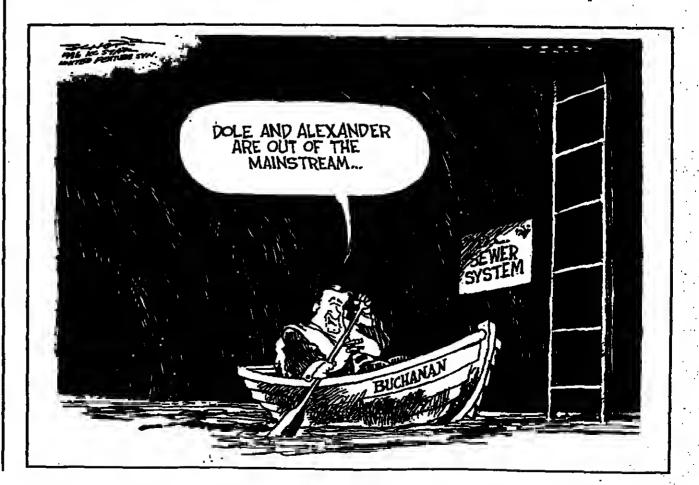
Perhaps the answer lies in an August 1978 campaign speech of Campbell's, which Heller interpreted as a reference to him. Campbell told an audience of Republican women that whoever represented their district in Congress had to be free of foreign influence. "I believe that it is imperative that a congressman be objective in foreign policy and have absolutely no favorite nation in the free world but America."

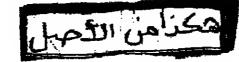
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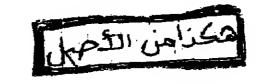
Now come revelations about Carroll Campbell's 1978 poll and his Liberty Lobby connection (issues first raised in public in 1986, in The New York Times, The Charlotte Observer and The Greenville News). Campbell has a reputation as a moderate and enlightened Republican governor. That makes the question all the more urgent: If this is what passes for moderation and enlightenment these days, what on earth is happening to the Republican Party?

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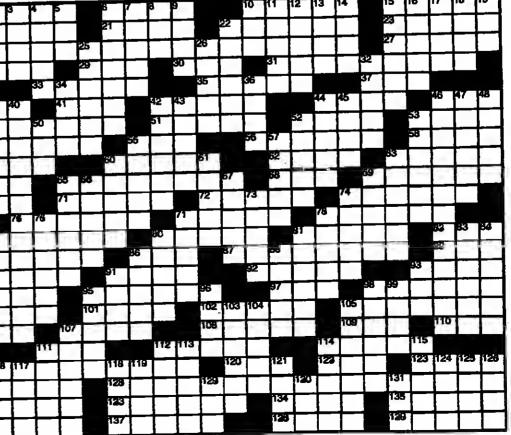
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Debating the fundamental issues of homosexuality

BY ANDREW SULLIVAN

: indrew, it's not who you are. It is what you do!" Buchanan yelled across the L table. We were engaged in a typically subtle "Crossfire" debate on same-gender marriage. I'd expected the explosion, but it nevertheless surprised me. Only minutes before, off the air, Buchanan had been cooing over my new haircut. But at least he could distinguish, like any good Jesuit, between the sin and the sinner. It was when his mind drifted to thoughts of homosexual copulation that his mood violently swung. OK, Pat, let's talk copulation. It isn't only me that has a ptoblem here. Buchanan's fundamental issue with "what homosexuals do" is that it's what he calls a "vice." Now, there's a clear meaning for a vice: It's something bad that a person freely chooses to do, like, say, steal. But Buchanan concedes that gay telations aren't quite like that, they are related to a deeper, "very powerful impulse." (his words) to commit them. So a homosexual is like a kleptomaniac who decides to steal. Kleptomania is itself an involuntary, blameless condition, hard to resist, but still repressible. Kleptomaniacs, in Buchanan's words, "have the capacity not to engage in those acts. They have free will." So far, so persuasive. The question begged, of course, is why same-gender sexual acts are wrong in the first place. In the case of kleptomania, it's a no-brainer: someone else is injured directly by your actions; they're robbed. But in the case of bomosexual acts, where two consenting adults are engaged in a private activity, it's not at all clear who the injured party is. Buchanan's concern with homosexual acts derives, of course, from the Roman Catholic Church. And the Cburch's teaching about homosexual sex is closely telated to its teaching about the sinfulness of all sexual activity outside a loving, ptocreative Church marriage. The sexual act, the Cburch affirms, must have two core elements: a "procreative" element, the willingness to be open to the creation of new life; and a "unitive" element, the intent to affirm a loving, faithful union. In this, the Church doesn't single out homosexuals for condemnation. The sin of gay sex is no mote and no less sinful on these grounds than masturbation, extramarital sex, marital sex with contraception, heterosexual oral sex or, indeed, marital sex withour love.

bates, is turning away from a viable alternative: a unitive, procreative sexual life. The homosexual has no such option; she is denied, because of something she cannot change, a sexual act which is both unitive and procreative. If a lesbian had sexual relations with a man, she could be procreative but not unitive, because she couldn't fully love him. And if she had sex with another woman, she could be unitive in her emotions but, because of biology, not procre ative. So the lesbian is trapped by the Church's teaching, excluded from a loving relationship for no fault of her own; and doomed to a loveless life as a result. The Church urges compassion for such people (a reaching which, somewhere along the way, seems to have escaped Buchanan). But the Church's real compassion is reserved for another group of people, who, like homosexuals, are unable, through no fault of their own, to have unitive and procreative sex: infertile beterosexuals. The Church expresses its compassion not by excluding these couples from the sacrament of marriage, but by including them. Sterile couples are allowed to marry in church and ro have sex; so are couples in which the wife is post-menopausal. It's understood that such people have no choice in the matter; they may indeed long to have unitive and procreative sex; and to have children. They are just tragically unable, as the Church sees it, ro experience the joy of a procreative married life. The question, of course, is: Why doesn't this apply to homosexuals? In official teaching, the Church has conceded (Buchanan hedges on this point) that some bomosexuals "are definitively such because of some kind of innate instinct or a pathological constitution judged to be incurable." They may want, with all the will in the world, to have a unitive and procreative relationship; they can even intend to be straight. But they can't and they aren't. So why aren't they allowed to express their love as humanely as they possibly can, along with the infertile and the elderly? The theologians' best answer to this is simply circular. Marriage, they assert, is by definition between a man and a woman. When pressed further, they venture: Well, sexual relations between two infertile heterosexuals could. by a miracle, yield a child. But, if it's a miracle you're counting on, why couldn't it happen to two gay people? Who is to put a limit on the power of God? Well, the Church counters, homosexuality isn'r natural, ir's an "objective disorder." But what is infertility if it isn't a disorder? The truth is, as the current doctrine now stands, the infertile are defined by love and

compassion, while homosexuals are defined by loneliness and sin. The Church has no good case why this should be so.

I harp on this issue of the infertile for one delicate reason: Patrick and Shelley Buchanan do not have kids. Why not? Generally, I wouldn't dream of bringing up such a question, but I am merely adhering to the same rules Buchanan has laid out for me. From the public absence of his children, as from the public statement of my homosexuality, I can infer certain things about Buchanan's "lifestyle." Either Buchanan is using contraception, in which case he is a hypocrite; or he or his wife is infertile, and he is, one assumes, engaging in non-procreative sex. Either way, I can see no good reason why his sexual life is any more sinful than mine. Of course, by metely bringing up Buchanan's childlessness, I will be judged to have exceeded the bounds of legitimate debate. But why doesn't the same outrage attach to Buchanan for his fulminations against others whose inability to lead a procreative married life is equally involuntary? Of course, Buchanan goes even further: Because of what be infers about my private sexual life, he would celebrate discrimination against me and use the bully pulpit of a campaign to defame me. Why is it unthinkable that someone should apply the same standards to him? I'll tell you why it's unthinkable. No one sbould be singled out and stigmatized for something he cannot change, especially if that something is already a source of pain and struggle. Indeed, I would regard anyone's inability to have children, if he wanted to, to be a sadness I should privately sympathize with and publicly say nothing about. Why, I wonder, cannot Buchanan express the same compassion and fairness for me?

Campaigns have their own ups and downs

By MICHAEL LEWIS

Thatever else it is, the New Hampshire primary is a turning point in the relationship between politicians and journalists. From now on, journalists can no longer set themselves up in hotels in Iowa or New Hampshire and know that the candidates must appear sooner or later. Now they must attach themselves to a single candidare as be jets back and forth across the country, depending on him entirely for their food, their planes, their buses and their hotel rooms.

Together with about 60 other journalists, I take off from Manchester, N.H., in Pat Buchanan's plane. It is just after midnight. Buchanan and his wife sit in the front row, backed by six rows of staffers and a new Secret Service detail. Two bours later, we land in Columbia, S.C., and set off for our hotels. Buchanan and his closest aides climb into cars and go in one direction; the rest of us walk down a long tarmac to a bus and go another. Only we don't. Immediately it becomes clear that, while the Buchanan camp had the foresight to renr a big plane, they have no clue what to do with the journalists inside. The young Buchananites on the ground in South Carolina cannot remember the name of the hotel in which they have reserved rooms, or whether they have reserved rooms at all. They argue who said what to whom until 2:30 a.m., and then, clearly desperate to announce something, announce this: although Pat Buchanan will not leave Columbia until noon we must all be in our hotel lobby with our luggage at 5:30 sharp — that is, assuming we find a hotel.

That's three hours from now!" someone shouts at the back of the bus.

Who would have thought that the rise of Buchanan would leave the American media longing for a strongman? The news that they will be lucky to get three hours in their hotel rooms leads the TV camera crews in the back of the bus to scream insults at the Buchanan aides in the front for the next five minutes. The next 20 minutes is more of the same: journalists screaming bloody murdet while Buchanan aides argue amongst themselves, until at length a particularly loud network cameraman persuades the bus drivet to roll. It's nearing 3 a.m. Somewhere in Columbia, S.C., Pat Buchanan sleeps.

We drive for maybe 30 minutes to a motel on an Interstate highway. The man behind the desk has never heard of Pat Buchanan. We climb back on the bus and drive for another 10 minutes to another motel. Again, no luck, except this time the motel has I2 empty rooms. You could see everyone at once thinking the same thing: Do I put my fare in the hands of Par Buchanan or do I go it alone? It's a turning point: The Buchanan aides have lost control of the press pack. The aggressive-aggressive journalists crowd around the front desk to secure . a room; the passive-aggressive ones strike out across country.

It's 4 a.m. I am one of the lucky ones --- so 1 believe. By 4:30 a.m. I am safely inside my room the Ramada Inn, secure that the Buchanan aides will fetch me in six hours. I am even pleased that the young Buchanan aide who promised to deliver my bags fails to do so, for it permits me to skip the 5:30 baggage call. For the next six hours, I rush to hit the deadline for an article which, among other things, details my genuine affection for the Buchanan aides. At II a.m., I wander back down to the lobby.

In some ways, of course, homosexual sex is less sinful. The heterosexual who chooses in marriage to use contraception, or who masturAndrew Sullivan is the editor of The New Republic.

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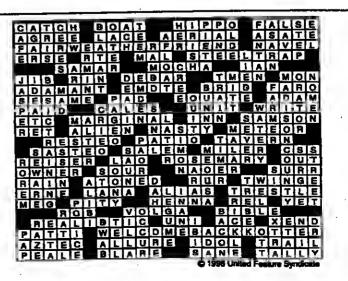
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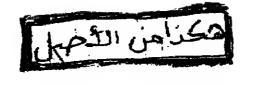
I remind myself that two Buchanan aides and one Secret Serviceman separately assured me six different times that they would collect me at 11:15. The deal could not have been more explicit. I had gone so far as to ask, rudely: "You aren't going to change this on me an hour from now, like you've changed everything else?" They promised that Pat's plans were firm. Yet somehow between 4:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Pat's plans changed. A few dozen phone calls and 30 minutes later I locare Pat's hotel and discover why I feel so oddly alone: Pat Buchanan has checked out. He's left South Carolina. He is on his way to North Dakota.

Just six hours earlier I had almost felt important. There I sat, a mere seven rows behind the winner of the New Hampshire primary, poised to write the first draft of history. Now I stand alone in a morel outside Columbia, S.C., in the same clothes I wore 48 bours ago, stinking so badly that I can smell myself. I am no stranger to logistical chaos. Twice I've checked out of my hotel toom from airplanes (the maids dump your stuff in a trash bag). Three times I've returned rental cars by phoning the company and giving them directions to their abandoned vehicle. But this is new ground ... standing on the median of an Interstate highway in a place I'd never been, never wanted to be, had no business whatsoever being. I envy the people whizzing past me at 60 miles an hour. At least they have a ride bome.

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Color considerations

ON CAMERA DAVID BRAUNER

HESE days, color is the norm, the almost exclusive medium of expression on television, in the cinema, in magazines and in newspapers. Likewise, color photography is the only photography most of us

Especially since the invention of a one-hour processing machine some 15 years ago, 35-mm. color photography has dominated the industry. In-shop processing is easy, fast, reliable and relatively inexpensive.

Yet how much thought do we give to color when we release the shutter? Are we aware of color? Are we thinking about color? Or do we simply take color for granted?

The buman retina contains about 130 million light-sensitive cells. The cone cells are sensitive to color. Like the three layers of color film, there are three types of cone receptors - those responsive to red light, to green light and to hlue light.

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The eye, unlike color film, has a brain to back it up. The brain interprets color. To a certain extent, memory colors the sea blue and cherries red, even though the sea in front of us may be turquoise and the cherries almost black.

Film, in contrast, "sees" colors as they are, in addition to recording color that is invisible to the human eye. Color film records, for example, ultra-violet light in land and seascapes as a bluish haze and, without a flash, indoor tungsten lighting (an ordinary bulb) comes out as an orange hue that the eye does not perceive.

Taking color into consideration starts with the expressions "warm" and "cold." The warm colors are associated with fire, the sun and the summer. These are the upper part of the rainbow: red, magenta and yellow. Rich browns, beiges and copper colors are also warm. Cold colors suggest the winter, ice and snow. They originate in the lower part of the spectrum: blue, cyan and greeo. Bleakness and emptiness characterize the cold colors.

Another important contrast is between "strong" and "weak" color. Strong colors are psychedelic in quality and dominate a picture. They are a wild array of meadow flowers or a flight of colorful hotair balloons against a blue sky. Weak or muted colors are different shades of related bues! such lasi understated blues and greens, or, subdued oranges and yellows.

Pictures of a misty lake early in the morning or a dusty farm scene late in the afternoon will have a rance rather omatic appe



Contrasting the 'strong colors' of the child's sweater against the weak colors' of the background. (David Brauner)

The color of light also changes throughout the day. The earliest light at dawn is cool, flat (shadowless) and essentially blue. As the sun rises, colors hecome more apparent. Ordinary (daylight) color film is "balanced" for midday sunlight, renderiog colors most accurately when the light itself is most "colorless." Toward late afternoon, the light warms up, casting an orangy yellow glow over the world.

Often when the sun drops below the borizon, the pbenomenon known as "bounce" will occur. The sky and clouds take oo a pinkisb, sometimes even violet tinge, both of which can produce superb shots. Translating color considerations

into your own photograpby begins with observation. Say you are taking family pictures of the children. Red hair and freckles dressed in warm reds would be an example of color harmony. Blonde hair andsoft hazel eves wearing a loud green headscarf congrasts the col-

ors of the face and the apparel. tions and films from some of the top names in Israeli plant, wildlife, In winter snow or summer beacb pictures, any bright colors will underwater and aerial photograsharply contrast with the plain, pby. Eretz Yisrael Museum, Tel chromatic backgrounds such mono

The fairy-tale life of Vladimir Horowitz

THERE AND THEN SRAYA SHAPIRO

THEN Vladimir Horowitz, a young, little-known pianist from Russia, landed in Paris in 1924, he was virtually penniless. So he did what many Jews did, He got an introduction to the Baron de Rothschild and asked for a loan." After a few concerts Horowitz was able to repay it, which cer-tainly surprised Rothschild.

The anecdote is reported by Harold C. Schonberg in Horowitz: His Life and Music, published by Simon & Schuster in the Touchstone Book series (430 pp.). The author, senior music critic of The New York Times for many years, served as a juror on many international piano competitions, including the Rubinstein in Tel Aviv.

The Horowitz household in Kiev at the turn of the century was full of music. Mama Horowitz, berself a concert pianist, taught music to all her four children. Papa Horowitz (or Gorovich, as the Russians pronounced it) made a good living from the wholesale electricity trade.

Vladimir - or Volodia, as his family and friends called him was accepted by the state secondary school. This was a feat of sorts for there were restrictions on Jews. Vladimir did not excel in studies. He was glad about this because many of bis fellow Jewisb students were hated due to

their outstanding achievements. In Kiev's musical academy, Horowitz stubbornly fought his teachers. "From the beginning he was going to do things his own way, notes Schonberg. His model was Anton Rubinstein. "The idea was that you were supposed to know everything about your instrument, then everything in music – as much as you can learn, and then from your own persooality," explained Horowitz,

Rubinstein was for Horowitz the embodiment of the "Russian style" to which he too adhered. Rubinstein was the grandson of a Berdicbev-born Jewish scholar wbo converted to Christianity after he lost bis fortunc and moved with all his family to Moscow.

In his youth Horowitz refused to practice scales. 'My mother ... thought I was never going to be a real planist," be said. "I was collecting records of singers, never of pianists. I was interested in Battisnni and Caruso, and on the



Vladimir Horowitz in 1965; from the start of his music career, he chose to do things his own way.

today. The most important thing on the keyhoard is color and singing,"

Following the Russian Revolution, the Horowitzes were evicted from their apartment. Volodia traveled to Moscow and Petrograd. With a newly acquired friend, the violinist Nathan Milstein, he gave concerts to workers who showed no interest in music.

But he also gained a name among musicians. In 1924, the 20-year-old, acting on the advice of friends, but mainly to avoid being drafted into the army, obtained permissioo to go abroad, allegedly to complete his studies with the world-famous Artur Schoabel in Berlin. The trip was arranged by the impresario Alexander Merovitch.

arood : THE STORY of Horowitz's career reads like a musical fairy tale. The greatest conductors of the era were impressed by him from the first few bars he played. Settling in the US, Horowitz soon

"In the United States 1 played private concerts at the bouses of very rich people." he told Schonberg. "I played half-anhour, everybody was drunk, and I got my \$5,000, over twice as much as for my concerts. Today that kind of thing has disap-

peared," he added regretfully. He insisted on playing only his private Steinway, (In later years the instrument was sent to the White House for Horowitz's performance before president Carter. He forwent remuneration for this performance, but insisted on being paid for the radio rights.) In 1933 Horowitz married Arturo Toscanini's daughter,

Wanda. "Of course she had heard about his sexual tastes, but she thought she could reform him. She was much prouder of being the wife of Vladimir Horowitz than she was of being the daughter of Arturo Toscanini. The latter, she said and repeated many times in newspaper interviews, was merely an accident of birth,"

was suggested that either sbe or Horowitz convert. But she was also strongly anticlerical, and a civil ceremony in Milan's city ball was arranged.

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In April 1986, Horowitz visited Russia, some 61 years after he left it. His tour was publicized as the return of the great Russian pianist. He stayed in Moscow at the residence of the American ambassador.

And be was accompanied by his Steinway, and a battery of American technicians sent to oversee the radio and TV broadcasts of his appearances in Moscow and Leoingrad. As be had at the White House, he played gratis for the Russians, but insisted on his rights for broadcasts.

Horowitz always took care of himself, notes Schonberg.

"His diet was Spartan, he walked his mile or two each day. and shortly before his death be had a medical checkup at which he was assured that be was in fine shape." He died of heart failure on

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EEPING an ant farm or formicary (or "formicariformicary (or term erly called), is not a popular bobby but for the people who have interested themselves in the subject it is a source of never-ending fascination.

It is especially appropriate to people who do not want a particularly active pet, who want to be free to go away for a few days without worrying and want a clean hobby with neither mess nor unpleasant odors. Although these formicaria are easy to keep sometimes one can run into certain problems, like the ones noted here.

One keeper from Ramat Gan asks: "What can I do to keep food and moist cotton balls that I give my ants for water from becoming moldy and possibly spoiling the farm?"

While there are some books with instructions for formicaria that advise moist cotton balls once a week. I do not like this system. A nice slice of apple or raw potato will do just as well and the ants will get all the moisture they need from this.

I also do not advise putting the moist foods into the formicarium but outside on the lid. Since the ants visit the lid of their home regularly they will find the water and the food if you place it there. And since the entire formicarium is, or should be, sitting in a shallow pan of water there is no chance that any ants will escape.

If you confine food and drink to the lid you can even have the pleasure of giving them a few drops of sweetened water on a piece of waxed paper. It is a marvelous sight to see a hunch of ants around the little pool.

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And a reader from Beersbeba wants to know where to get ants to start his formicarium. The answer is to dig up an ant hill and take a bunch of ants and as many ant larvae as you can. The larvae look like little white grains of rice.

Another good source is flower pots. I have rarely seen an outdoor collection of potted plants in the garden or on a balcony that didn't have one well-established ant's nest in residence. In that case just remove the plant and gently transfer the entire pot contents to your ant-farm container.

And from Tel Aviv a student wants to know which variety of ants to take for the formicarium since, as he points out, they come in all sizes.

As for choice, it is really a mat-

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experience the very tiny brown ants are not a good choice since they are extremely hard to see without a magnifying glass and that rohs you of a lot of the fun of watching.

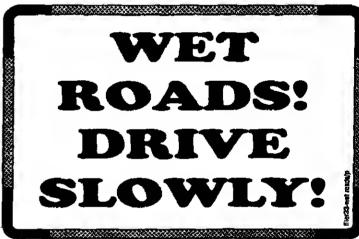
On the other hand the big harvester ants are also not too satisfactory because they are so large that they simply need more space than you can usually provide in a formicarium.

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SPORTS FEATURES

Shooting for the big time

UConn's Sheffer may be the first Israeli to play in the NBA

HILLEL KUTTLER WASHINGTON

IT is the twilight of Doron

Sheffer's college career and the stars are twinkling above. Sheffer's University of Connecticut Huskies (27-2) are poised to win the Big East Tournament and their 6-foot-5 floor leader is likely to be drafted by an NBA team in June.

The stars were also visible courtside suhurban Washington's US Air Arena last month. Los Angeles Lakers vice president Jerry West, Kevin McHale of the Minnesota Timberwolves and a host of other team executives had come to scout Sheffer, his fellow Huskies and the bometown Georgetown Hoyas during a rare 77-65 loss for UConn.

With the Big East tournament just concluded, Sheffer, 24, doesn't look too far ahead, even knowing he could be the first Israeli to play in the NBA.

"I'm trying right now to focus on the next practice, the next game, to he better, to succeed indi-vidually and with the team and not to think too much about the NBA. Later on, there will be enough time to think about it," he said.

UConn's success this year can be attributed to a core group of reliable players throughout: All-America guard-forward Ray Allen, shooting guard and now-point guard Sheffer and senior Travis Knight.

The Huskies' revolving door of stars is a vital component of any consistently successful college program. When forwards Donyell Marshall and Donny Marshall left for the NBA over the last two years, Allen emerged. Kevin Ollie graduated last year and Sheffer moved to the point. When Sheffer leaves this year, freshman guard Rickey Moore will enter the starting lineup. "It's been an outstanding sea-

son. You can't ask for much more," Sheffer said. "I do believe we feel we have fulfilled our potential."

By the end of the Big East tournament, UConn hopes to finish high enough in the rankings so that it is a top seed in one of the four regional hrackets "in order to have a relatively easy game at the beginning of the NCAA tournament," Sheffer said.

Last year's regional final loss to eventual champion UCEA certainly hurt but it belped focus the Huskies on "having another great year and moving on to the next level and making it to the Final Four this time," he said.

Sheffer was brilliant in that nail-biting 102-96 defeat, racking



LIVING IN AMERICA -- Doron Sheffer was a major factor in the Huskies' outstanding 27-2 season.

to see Sheffer play.

with Maccahi Tel Aviv so he could come hack to UConn. He's confident in his ability. He can see the floor, he's got intelligence. And that's rare in the NBA."

Asked whether he had come to the Georgetown game specifically to scout Sheffer, West, a Hall of Fame guard for the Lakers in the 1960s and '70s, said cautiously, "He's a very good player. I think there's a lot of interest in him. There are a lot of people here to see a lot of good players, and he would be one of them."

Executives like West are

he picks his spaces."

"He's a wonderful player, Lake, a New Englander who pulls equally hard for Connecticut and the University of Massachusetts.

said at halftime. If think there's sort of an alina of control about him. Her alina's seems to know what he's doing, always seems to know when to go to Allen," he said. Asked whether he thought

In all, Sheffer tallied 23 points,

Georgetown coach John

Sheffer's life in Israel might have prepared him for handling tense situations, Lake laughed.

Sheffer is assuming more of a leadership role, one which he says he wears well. He is trying to nurture Moore, just as Hapoel Jerusalem, point guard Adi Gordon assisted an 18-year-old Sheffer when the latter joined Israel's first division.

Sheffer said he is trying "especially to help and to guide the freshmen" like Moore and Rashamel Jones "to get better and fit into the team. And I feel comfortable with that role and I'm sat-"God knows, if you isfied with what I'm doing so far. Israel, you live under full-court So I do feel in a sense that I'm pressure. But 1 don't think that's helping and taking more responsihility on and off the court this why he's a terrific haskethall player. He's a terrific hasketball

Knicks and Nelson not a winning combination

NEW YORK (AP) – After a month of movie-making in South America, Spike Lee was back in his court-side seat at Madison Square Garden to get a firsthand look at the New York Knicks.

"I felt worse watching that game than I did at the end of Game 7 against the Pacers last year." Lee said.

The Knicks of March 1996 are light-years different from the Knicks of February 1996, not to mendon the Knicks of the Pat Riley years. They don't rebound anymore, they don't play rough, they don't dive on the floor, they don't play defense, they don't like their coach.

Most of all, they don't win.

A real dehacle was the 105-88 loss Tuesday night to the Los Angeles Clippers, the perennial Western Conference doormats who are floundering at the hottom of the Pacific Division again this season.

This was the worst loss of the season, the bottom of the harrel. Things look pretty dismal right now," Patrick Ewing said. "It's emharrassing and demoralizing. The Clippers?"

Yes, the Clippers. The loss was a new low for an aging team that was expected to have one more shot at the Eastern Conference title.

Instead, it looks like Charles Barkley's prophecy "The only way y'all are going to the second round of the playoffs is if y'all have ockets" - may come true. The Knicks aren't getting along with their new coach Don Nelson, and the discord has intensified in

the three weeks since power forward Charles Oakley went down with a broken thumh and two trades added four new faces.

John Starks, who lost his starting job to Hubert

Davis last week during an 0-4 West Coast trip, has had the most high-profile feud with Nelson.

"He's angry and he hasn't accepted the coaches' decision," Nelson said. "It wasn't an easy decision, hut it was the right decision. I have no feud. John has a feud and it's real."

Players and fans alike have questioned some of Nelson's gimmicky moves, such as benching Derek Harper in favor of Charlie Ward in the fourth quarters of several recent losses and running the low-post offense through Anthony Mason rather than Ewing. The key for us has always been defense, and that

leads to a lot of scoring. Now, we can't score or play defense," Ewing said.

Lately, thee most glaring deficiency has been rebounding. The Knicks had only five offensive rebounds and converted just two of them into baskets against the Clippers. It's a trend that has highlighted how much the Knicks miss Oakley.

Newly acquired Brad Lohaus, J.R. Reid and Willie Anderson have been splitting his minutes, but all three are weak rebounders who spend most of their time on the perimeter.

This Knicks team is older and there is no Charles Oakley. They're just not the same team," Chippers coach Bill Fitch said. "But when these guys heal up, they are still a very tough team. I wouldn't count them out if I were you."

As far as the fans are concerned, it may be too late for that. They have been known to boo Nelson pregame introductions.

"It's the first time we've been this low in a long time," Ewing said.

Johnson: 'Yes' to Jordan, 'no' to 'Dream Team'

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Magic Johnson and Michael Jordan finishing their careers together? Johnson reunited in Miami with his former coach Pat Riley? Johnson hack home in Michigan, playing for the Pistons?

Almost all things are possible, Johnson indicated in a far-ranging telephone conference.

The Los Angeles Lakers' star. making a comehack to the National Basketball Association after 41/2 years of retirement, was most enthusiastic when asked if he'd like to team with Jordan. Both will be free agents after this season.

"It would be a hlast to do that," Johnson said. "Making it our last contract, going into the sunset after that.

"Our agents talk more than we do during the season," Johnson said, adding that he and Jordan had talked about someday being teammates when they played piekop games in the summer during Johnson's retirement.

Asked about reports he might like to play for Riley's Miami Heat, Johnson said: I want to stay in L.A. and I want to be here. If that doesn't happen for some reason, I'll talk to Pat, or to Detroit and we'll go on from



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up a season-high 24 points.

"It was disappointing but I think. we all felt that on that given night they played hetter and deserved to win," he said of the end to UConn's 28-5 season. "You know, the fact that we lost to the national champs, it made us feel better about ourselves: At least if we lost, we lost to the best team in the nation."

Sheffer himself is considered one of the top guards playing in the US heading into the NBA draft. Experts cite floor leadership and competitiveness as main selling points. "I like him," said NBA super-

scout Marty Blake. "People say he's not quick, but what's quick? Larry Bird wasn't quick. He was intelligent. After all, Sheffer turned down \$250,000 to play

tant to comment about their team's interest in any player because of NBA restrictions against tampering with players before the draft.

player because he's Doron Sheffer But if they were at the and because Jim Calhoun is a terrific coach," said Lake. Georgetown game or tuned in to the national ESPN telecast, they had to have liked what they saw. including a scorching six of eight from three-point range. And he did Sheffer was the only Huskie ahle it while matched up against the player be calls the best guard he's to score consistently against the Hoyas' incessant pressure defense. Allen was invisible in the competed against, Georgetown's wondrous speedy Allen Iverson, first half. Hoya forward Jerome Williams made himself a thorn in who scored 26 points. Knight's side every time he tried to inbound the hall after a

Thompson said afterwards that Georgetown basket. the way Sbeffer comports himself A Washingtonian familiar with on the court makes him "proud to be a coach. I think a lot of him. pressure defense, national securi-He's excellent because his judgty adviser Anthony Lake, said he had come to the game especially ment is so good. He takes the shot,

year. After playing mostly at offguard his first two years, Sheffer is starting at the point this year, where he can "control the game" and "show my qualices as much as I can.

It is at that position that he sees himself in the pros. like the NBA players he patterns his game after: Utah's John Stockton and Dallas's Jason Kidd.

Blake says that it will be up to pro coaches to decide whether Sheffer is better fit to play point or off guard, but that he would recommend the former.

"Point guards are born, not made," he says.

there."

Johnson, who played with Jordan on the US Olympic "Dream Team" in 1992, said he doesn't want to play in the Olympics this summer in Atlanta. There are still two openings on the US haskethall ieam, and Johnson recommended Seattle's

Shawn Kemp for one of them. 'I think Shawn Kemp really deserves to be on it," Johnson said. 'I think he's improved every season. I think he's matured. We already know he's a great basket-ball player. Now he's become a leader."

Johnson said Sacramento's Mitch Richmond, Seattle's Gary Payton and Dallas's Jason Kidd also should receive strong consideration.

STUFF OF DREAMS - Magic Johnson, seen here wearing the American flag after the US won the 1992 Olympic basketball finals, says he doesn't want to be on the next 'Dream Team.' (AP)

contracting the virus that causes AIDS, said his return to the league has been hetter than expected. "Being out 41/2 years, I've prob-

Johnson, who left the NBA after ably surpassed what I thought," he ontracting the virus that causes said. "I look forward to being back next season with a whole summer of playing basketball and training camp as well."

Kinder, gentler Tyson looking to knock out Bruno

NEW YORK (Reuter) If anything pered Tyson. can be learned from a tiny snapshot of someone, then there is a kinder, gentler Mike Tyson hoping to spread the word of love with a little time off to knock out Frank Bruno in 11 days.

Tyson emerged from the cocoon his handlers have wrapped in for much of the time since his release from prison last March to talk with reporters in a conference call from Las Vegas, where he is preparing to fight Bruno for the World Boxing Council heavy-weight title this Saturday.

He was at his respectful best during the call and did not even seem fazed when one apparent representative of the wacky world of talk radio asked a particularly hizarre and senseless question, which Tyson chose to ignore.

The old Tyson may very well have jumped in with an expletiveladen verbal bearing, not just of that deserving caller, hut of anyone with even the most benign question. "I would have made some state-

ment that would not have been dignified, hm that was the old Mike Tyson," said the former champion.

To one caller who said it was a pleasure to speak with the fighter, the new Tyson responded: "It's my pleasure as well."

Of course, Tyson's metamorphosis has not been without its glitches. But for the most part, since his release after three years in prison on a rape conviction, the public view has been of a tem-

Tyson, who easily won both his fights since returning to the ring, said he meant no disrespect when he said that the main difference he has noticed between the Bruno he stopped in the fifth round in 1989 and Bruno today is that the Briton "runs more. He holds more and he hits behind the head."

Tyson said people focus too much on Bruno's punch in the first round of their 1989 fight that stunned him.

"I just remember overwhelming him pretty much ... he hit me with n punch because I was careless," Tyson remembered. "I take a good punch.'

Another reason for getting caught by Bruno, said Tyson, was that he was felt burned out hy his career.

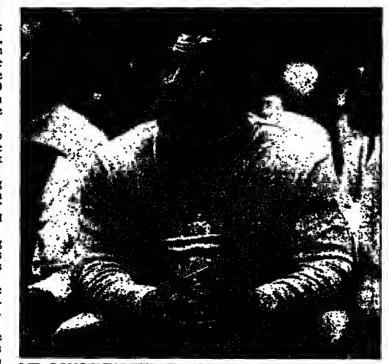
"I wasn't ever away from the stresses and pressures I was dealing with. It was just kind of catching up with me," Tyson said. Tyson, now 29, believes those

Buster" Douglas being able to knock him out in the 10th round in Tokyo in 1990 to take his otles. "Now, I'm more of a mature

and together individual. And praise to God I'll be able to deal with ir," Tyson said of the pres-sures at the top of heavyweight

boxing. His Moslem faith will help him, Tyson said, because "it gives me a whole broader perspective on humanity and a perspective on myself."

Tyson added that he wants to "conduct myself in a way God



MR. CONGENIALITY - Since his release from prison, the public view has been of a tempered Tyson.

would appreciate." In the more temporal world, Tyson's handlers said he regularly has been sparring 7-8 rounds with

a variety of partners, including one who is 6'6" and 280 pounds, to get ready for Bruno, who has said he could weigh as much as 260 pounds, some 20 pounds more than he was in 1989. Tyson is expected to weigh around his

usual 220 pounds. Of Bruno, Tyson says, "what-

ever he does I'm ready for," adding that he intends to knock out Bruno (40-4).

Promoter Don King said Tyson (43-11 will attempt to regain the three main heavyweight titles before fighting anyone else. That Tyson still thinks of him-

self as the champion was evident when he said of the bout with the 34-year-old Bruno that, "I'm just looking forward to being successful in my defense."

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Friedman wins ASA tourney

AFTER being dogged for several days by difficult wind conditions the 11th International ASA (Academic Sporting Association) Boardsailing Championship came to an exciting climax in Eilat yes-

In the hlue riband event of the tournament the Mistral, Israel's Gal Friedman demonstrated both purpose and skill to lift himself from ninth position to end the tournament in second place. The 20 year-old soldier, ranked tenth at the last World Championships held in South Africa last December, finished second in the fifth race of the Mistral class, and then came first in the sixth and final race.

terday.

Friedman, the tournnment's champion the previous two years, lost his crown to French racer Claude Mezullac who crossed the finishing line first in all four Mistral races run earlier last week. Mezullac's victory comes as little surprise; having registered 7th position in South Africa, he was the highest ranked participant in the Mistral, and is also current European champion in the Raceboard class. Another Frenchman, Thierre Renault took third place, while Fiji's Tony Philp (9th in the last World Championships) ended in fourth. Friedman will be pleased hy his overall performance in Eilat. Against strong opposition he has and his capabalities once again and his attempt to beat fellow Israeli Amit Inhar (ranked 6th at the World Championship in South

DEREK FATTAL Africa) at the forthcoming World

Championship series in Haifa is likely to he a knife-edge affair. The winner of this duel will represent Israel at the Atlanta Olympic Games.

Australian racer Natasha Sturges (7th in the last World Championships), making her first appearance in Israel, held off a hrave challenge from Israel's Michal Hein to take the women's title in the Mistral.

Spain's Juan Munoz was the champion in the Heavy Raceboard class, ahead of Remco Otten of Netherlands, Another the Spaniard, Augusto Garcia (ranked 4th in the last World Championships) took third place. In the Light Raceboard class championship honors went to Poland's Pawel Dasiewicz, followed by Patrick Poirriez of France and Ukranian Sergei Sablin.

Poland's women took a clean sweep of the honors in the female Raceboard. World Champion Dorota Staszewsk took the championship title, with Agata Pokorowsk and Marzena Okonska following. In an interview with The

Jerusalem Post at the ASA Champlonship, Israel National team coach Gur Steinberg spoke of his preference for his young protege Friedman to take the Atlanta slot.

"If Gal gets the ticket the experience will be spread amongst his fellow representatives in the National squad," Steinberg said, in an oblique reference to Inbar's preference to conduct his training regime independently from the national framework.

Steinberg nevertheless paid full tribute to Inbar's record and the fact that be has already tasted Olympic competition at the Barcelona Games. Steinberg feels that both men are capable of coming within the top six places in Atlanta.

While praising the organization and hacking for the sport at National squad level, Steinberg said that generally poor results by local competitors at these ASA Championships demonstrated that there are simply not enough good quality racers emerging in Israel. and called for more resources to be put in at the sport's lower echelons. In terms of up and coming talent Steinberg singled out Michal Hein

for special mendon. Other ASA Championship Results: Mistral:Morten Egeblad; Denmark (Student men); Elena Draoulec, France (Student women): Shai Terem (High School boys): Mirit Ram (High

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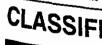
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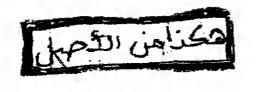
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The Jerusalem Post Sunday, March 10, 1996 The Jerusalem Post Sunday, March 10, 1996 Sri Lanka crushes England Soundary Champion Pakistan falls to India

Jayasuriya played one of the outstanding innings in World Cup history yesterday as his side destroyed England to reach the semifinals for the first time.

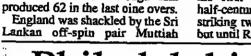
Jayasuriya hlasted 82 in just 44 balls as Sri Lanka eased to a fivewicket quarter-final victory, passing England's 235 for eight with 9.2 of their 50 overs to spare. The left-hander reached 50 io

just 30 deliveries, equaling the fastest ever in the World Cup by England's Chris Old, Imran Khan of Pakistan and New Zealand's Martin Crowe. And he was on the way to over-

hauling Clive Lloyd's 21-year-old record for the quickest century in the competition, achieved in 82 halls, when he was stumped by Jack Russell off Dermot Reeve's medium pace. Jayasuriya treated all the bowlers

with contempt, hitting 13 fours and three sixes, and by the time he was dismissed the result had effectively become a formality.

England was left to reflect on another poor batting showing after captain Mike Atherton won the toss. The team achieved respectability only thanks to a quickfire 67 in 64 balls from all-rounder Phillip DeFreitas, who was promoted to No. 5, and a late flourish from Reeve and Darren Gongh that produced 62 in the last oine overs.



Muralitharan and Kumara Dharmasena, who betweeo them took four for 67 in 20 overs. Jayasuriya's batting made his three previous innings in the com-

pection - 129 runs io 114 balls seem slow hy comparison. He lashed the left-arm spin of Richard Illingworth for four suc-

cessive houndaries, and three more fours in a Darren Gough over helped raise the Sri Lanka 50 in just 46 balls.

Jayasuriya went into overdrive after reaching his half-century and was closing on the fastest ooe-day interoatiooal hundred. Indian Mohammad Azharuddin's 63-ball effort against New Zealand in Baroda in 1988, when he was stumped down the leg-side. Jayasuriya and Asanka Gurusinha added 101 for the sec-

ood wicket in 11 overs, and after the former's departure, Gurusinha helped keep Sri Lanka on course for victory.

England squandered the chance to set Sri Lanka a testing target with some wasteful batting.

Robin Smith, run out for 25 on the third umpire's decisioo, and DeFreitas, given out Ihw to Jayasuriya, could both feel they might bave bad the benefit of the douht, hut the other top-order players were guilty of poor sbots. DeFreitas hit boldly to record

his first ooe-day international half-century in his 101st match, striking two sixes and five fours, but until Reeve's and Gough's late

England to cheer. India-Pakistan

Defending champions Pakistan saw their World Cup dreams disintegrate as co-hosis India secured an extraordinary 39-nm victory.

Pakistan, lacking injured captain Wasim Akram, were forced to chase a target of 288 for victory in only 49 INDIA N.Sichu b Mushtaq 93 S.Tendukar b Rehman 31 S.Mendrakar c Mandad b Sohall M.Azhavdchin e Latër b Younis V.Kambil b Mushtaq 24 A.Jadeja c Schall b Younis N.Mongia un out 3 A.Kumble c Mandad b Aqb 2 20 27 45 10 Aukumme 2 Manado b Aqui 10 J.Srhath not out 12 V.Prasad not out 0 Extras (b-3 w-15 rb-4) 22 Total (night wickets - 50 overs) 287 Fail of wickets: 1-80 2-138 3-188 4-200 5-228 8-235 7-250 8-279 Did not bet: V.Raju Bradilor: V.w ois 10.1.572 (trad. Arch. 10.0.571) Bowfing: Younis 10-167-2 (1w), Aqib 10-067-1 (1nb, 4w), Rahman 10-040-1 (3nb, 1w), Mushaq 10-056-2 (3w), Schail 5-0-29-1 (4w), Maik 5-0-25-

PAKISTAN Asmir Scheil b Prasad 55 Saeed Anwer e Kumble b Strath Ijaz Ahmed e Strath b Prasad Inzaman-4-Heq e Mongle b Prasad Sasim Malik bw b Kumble Jamer Mended an out 20 12 12 38 Satim Malik low b Kumble Javad Milandad nun out 38 Rashid Latil at Mongle b Reju Mushtea Anmad c and b Kumble Waqar Younia not out 4 Ana-ur-Rehman low b Kumble 0 Ala-uv-Rehman Ibw 5 Kumble 0 Aqib Javed not out 6 Extras (b-1 b-3 w-5) 9 Total (for nine wickets - 49 overn) 248 Fail of wickets 1-84 2-113 3-122 4-132 5-184 8-231 7-232 8-239 9-230 Bowling: 5/neth 9-0-61-1 (1w), Prased 10-0-45-3 (2w), Kumble 10-0-46-3, Raju 10-0-46-1 (1w), Tenst: India.

Toss: Inde. Nan of the match: Navjot Sichu (Inde). Result: India won by 30 runs.

Philadelphia upsets New York 100-92 Jordan scores 53, both Magics hit milestones

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - The Philadelphia 76ers stunned the New York Knicks 100-92 Friday pight to spoil the head coaching debut of Jeff Van Guody, Jerry Stackhonse scored 29

points and hit two 3-pointers in the final minutes to give Philadelphia leads of 89-82 and 92-84. The rookie also made a tough layup over two New York defenders with 2:25 left to give Philadelphia a 94-88 lead.

- After Brad Lohaus missed a 3pointer with 13 seconds left that would have pulled New York within three points, Stackhouse took a feed from Ed Pinckney and ran the length of the court for a wiodmill dunk, putting Philadelphia ahead 98-90. Magic 117, Hornets 112 (OT) Shaquille O'Neal scored four of his

Karl Malone scored 17 and Jeff Hornacek added 14.

the most in the NBA this season - or

The Magic equaled the NBA record of 38 straight home victories the Bostoo Celocs compiled from December 1985 to November 1986. bost Chicago. The previous high this season was 51 by Hakeem Olajuwon, Karl Malone and Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf. 51 They can break the mark Sunday against Phoenix. O'Neal made 16 of 21 shots, while Anfernee Hardaway scored 31 and Dennis Scott added 18. Hardaway, Jordan scored at least 50 for the 34th time in his career. It was his higgest output since going for 55 against the Knicks last March shortly after coming out of retirement Jordan made 21 of 28 shots and

scored 34 in the second half. Lakers 102, Kings 89

Magic Johnson had his 10,000th career assist for visiting Los Angeles. Johnson reached the milestone by John Stockton made his first nine shots of the game and finished 11-of-12 from the field with 25 points to lead setting up Elden Campbell for the goahead basker. Stockton, also had 15 assists as the

"It was a great moment. Joining John Stockton with 10,000 is a special moment in my career." Johnson said. "I hadn't eveo thought about it until the media brought it up. I'm just

happy to be back playing." Johnson finished with 15 points and seveo assists, including a pair to Campbell during a 17-4 run that put

With 4:48 left and the score ded at 85, Johnson backed toward the basket against Michael Smith before dishing off to Campbell, who converted a 13-foot jumper for Johnsoo's fifth assist of the night and 10,000th of his career. Stockton (11,0045) is the only other

player with more than 10,000. THURSDAY'S RESULTS: Charlotte 119, Dallas 105 Atlanta 83, Cleveland 72 Chicago 102, Detroit 81 Denver 103, Phoenix 92 Golden State 95, Houston 86 L.A. Lakers 102, Sacramento 89

FRIDAY'S RESULTS: Cleveland 96, Boston 91 Philadelphia 100, New York 92 L.A. Clippers 92, Washington 89 Orlando 117, Charlotte 112 (OT) Miami 109, Toronto 79 Atlanta 94, Milwankee 91 Seattle 132, Minnesola 112 San Antonio 115, New Jersey 100 Utah 109, Houston 89 .A. Lakers 119, Phoenix 97 Portland 117, Sacramento 105 Indiana 94, Vancouver 80

overs instead of 50 after being pun-ished for bowling their overs too slowly in the afternoon. With 37 balls remaining, 57 runs required and five wickets in hand, they were still just about on course for

arkable triumph and a Calcutta semifinal against Sri Lanka next Wednesday.

But the first meeting between the two countries on Indian soil for seven years was ultimately decided by local boys Anil Kumble and Venkatesh Prasad, who shared six wickets between them to restrict Pakistan m 248 for nine. to resurce Parsistan III 248 for EVGLAND R.Smith run out. 25 MAthenton o Kaluwitharana b Vaas G.Hrick of Ranshunge b Narailiharan G.Thopse b Otarmasena 14 P.DeFreitas low b Jayasuriya A.Stewent b Murailiharan 17 J.Russell b Dharmasena 6 D.Reeve b Jayasuriya St D.Gough nat out 28 P.Martin not out 0 Eutras (PA sec4) 12 8 67 Extras (Ib-8 w-4) Total (eight wickats - 50 overs) 235 Feil of wickats: 1-31 2-58 3-66 4-94 5-145 5-171

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Man of the match: Sanath Jayasuriya (Sri Lanka) Reput: Sri Lanka won by five wickets.

UConn, Georgetown battle for Big East crown

NEW YORK (AP) - Connecticut and Georgetown came up with big wins on Friday night, which set up a rematch of the top seeds in the Big East final, played late last night in Madison Square Garden. The teams met once in the regular season and Georgetown won 77-65, handing the Huskies their sole loss of the season.

The Hoyas, with a 10-4 semifioals record, will be in the championship game for the 10th time in 17 years. Georgetown has won three conference tournament championships, the last in 1989.

ON FRIDAY No. 3 UCam 85, No. 13 Syracuse 67 Ray Allen had a tournament recordtying seven steals and led the Huskies with 29 points.

Connecticut played a stifling trap that forced turnover after turnover, with Allen in the middle of many of the stops. After Jasoa Cipolla's threepoint play put Syracuse within two points at 60-58 with 11:06 left to play. UConn did not allow another field goal until the final seconds, By then, the game was long gone.

Doron Sheffer got hot, scoring 14 of his 22 points in the second half. Allen nailed 10 straight points during a 20-5 run that put the game away for UConn (29-2).

Allen finished with 11-for-21 from bome match this season, turned out at Teddy Stadium, after the IFA releated and allowed the match which originally was due to be played behind closed the field and Sheffer was 8-for-15. Both had four 3-pointers as Connecticul hit 10 of 22 from long range. Travis Knight had 12 points and Kirk King 10 for the Huskies. doors, be played with spectators after the bombing atrocities. A minutes silence was observed for For Syracuse (24-8), John Wallace

had 19 points and Cipolla 13. Georgetown 84, Villanova 76 Victor Page scored s career-high 34

points to set a Big East tournament freshman record. Page, who had scored more than 20 points only three times this season, the ast time on December 8 against Sacramento State, had broken double figures only three times in the last 10

games and entered the game with an 11.8 scoring average. He had 20 points at halftime against third-seeded Villanova, the defending tournament champions, and he even came through when Allen lverson, the sophomore sensation, missed eight minutes of the second half because be had four fouls.

Iverson, who finished with 28 points in 27 minutes for the Hoyas. ON THURSDAY

No. 13 Syracuse 69, Boston Col. 61 John Wallace scored nine of his 25 points in the final 21/2 minutes, and Jason Cipolla and Todd Burgan each made a big 3-pointer down the stretch

for the Orangemen. Bostoo College's zone defense gave Syracuse trouble and Danya Abrans dominated inside and finished with 31 points. The Eagles (18-10) led 59-58, bul Burgan's 3-pointer with 1:47 left gave Syracuse the lead for good.

Allen Iverson scored 10 points in half after they led 41-38 at halftime. His 38 points ded him with two others 5日天王王王王 for the second-best effort in Big East tournament history behind Donyell Marshall of Connecticut, who had 42 against SL John's in 1994. Jerome Williams had 20 points and 16 rebounds for Georgetown. No. 9 Villanova 78, Providence 68 Kenry Kittles' scored 20 points, 16 in the second half for Villanova. Jason Lawson picked up 23 points and nine

Betar J'lem closing gap

ORI LEWIS

BETAR Jerusalem gained ground on leaders Maccabi Tel Aviv after this weekend's round of National League matches, as the latter side and Maccabi Haifa, who were io second place both failed to score victories

an early advantage on Friday were

thwarted by Zafririm Holoo io the

five points.

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the victims of Hamas terror over the past week and the 3,500 crowd was body

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advantage into goals. Holon, for its part, relied only on Hezi Shirazi up front, knowing that the class of they preferred to play a more defeo-sive style of play despite knowing that every point is crucial if they are to avoid relegation. Haifa's Ronny Levy put the visitors ahead with a beaded goal in the 77th minute after only moments earlier, Shirazi failed to convert a neualty for Holon. The Tel Avivians were held to a goalless draw at home by Maccabi Petah Tikva, while failed to convert a penalty for Holon. But Haifa's advantage was short-lived and they were denied victory three min-utes from the end of the tratch when Maccabi Haifa's hopes of gaining

Shirazi made amends for his penalty miss. Hap. Haifa 1, Ironi Rishon 1

last minute of their match, which The Haifaites now look m have only a theoretical chance of catching the lead-ers after again losing ground with a draw against mid-table Risbon. Damir Lesiak raised fans' hopes at was played on Friday. Betar Jerusalem closed the gap to three points, while Maccabi

Haifa now trails the leaders by Kiryat Eliezer in the 7th minute, but Rishon slowly clawed their way back into the match and Oleg Kochiluk got the equalizer with a superb long-range strike on 66 minutes. Only 17 goals were scored in the Natiooal League, one of the

Bnei Yehuda 4, Hap. Kfar Sava 1

Mac. Tel Aviv 0, Mac. PT 0 The Petab Tikvans may be in fifth place in the standings, but they should not have presented too much of an obsta-cle for Maccabi. Nevertheless, it appears as if Petah Tikva is a side capable of the standard of The highest-scoring match of the round came in the last fixture of the weekend with the home side demolish ing Kfar Sava's hopes of a much-needed win. Alon Mizrahi scored a hattrick, causing frastration to the top teams. Maccabi had the advantage for most of the match, but was unable to convert it with goals in the and Vasili Mukan adding another for Bnei Yehuda. Koby Refuan scored e late consolation goal for into goals. Bet. Jerusalem 3, Mac. Herzliya 0 The smallest crowd to see Betar in a the visitors to Hatikve Ouarter.

Hap. Beit She'an 2, Hap. Beersheba 1 Hisham Zuabi scored after 25 minutes to put Beersheba ahead. It was the visitors' first goal after 519 minutes of play in the league. But that was the only consolation for

the Negev side, who came out second best in Beil She'an which equalized through a good solo goal by Viachislav Melnikov eight minutes later and then a late winner from substitute Nassim Akbaria.

Hap. PT 1, Hap. Tel Aviv 1

Once the attention was switched to the An uneventful game was embellished by two goals, Kazimir Muskal put visiting Tel Aviv ahead after 13 minutes, but Motti on field action, Betar seized control of the match and dominated the match Stefan Saloi scored Betar's first goal after 12 minutes, burying a ball after a mixup in the Herzliya area following s Kakkon made sure of a share of the points with an equalizer on 27 mins

Bet. Tel Aviv 0, Mac. Jaffa 0 An uninspiring match by the two sides looking the most likely to be relegated

ended with neither gaining any advantage. NATIONAL LEAGUE - After 21 rounds

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Mac. Tel Aviv Bet, Jerusalem Mac. Halta Hap. Heita Mac. Petah Tikva Hap. Tel Aviv Despite taking an early advantage, the entire match was dominated by Betar, Zafririm Holon 1, Mac. Halla 1 Haifa seized control of this match from the outset, but failed to turn its

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Ronnen Harazi scored a second goal, his 12th of the season on the half bour and Saloi added a third, his second, four minutes later.

36 points in the extra period as Orlando won its 38th straight regularseason game at Orlando Arena.

ON THURSDAY Bulls 102, Pistons 81

Scott and Nick Anderson each made

four 3-pointers as the Magic set an NBA record hy hitting at least one trey

Jazz 109, Rockets 89

Jazz won their sixth straight overall

and 14th straight at home, evening

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the Lakers in front 92-85 with 3:10 Michael Jordan scored 53 points remaining.

Barcelona overpowers Ulker in Game 1 of European hoops quarter-finals

BARCELONA took a giant step toward advancing to another Final Four with an impressive 105-77 victory over hosts Ulker Istanhul in Game 1 of the hest-ofthree quarter-ficals in the European Club Basketball Championships over the weekcod

Dan Godfried and Arturas Kamisoyas scored 24 and 23 points respectively to lead the Spaniards to victory. Barcelona, which finished atop

Maccabi Tel Aviv's Group B with a 10-4 record, held only a 49-40 advantage at the break hut turned up the pressure in the second half

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the Italians the lead. oo the overmatched Turks, who Frangiskos Alvertis contributed 18 squeaked into the quarterfinals by points for Panathinaikos, but Treviso finishing fourth in Group A with star Zeliko Rebracha managed only Panathinakos 70, Benetton Treviso 67 Panathinaikos, attempting to advance to its third straight European

eight points on the night. Olympiakos 68, Real Madrid 49 In a rematch of last season's European title game, bosts Olympiskos defeated the defending and a 1-0 advantage in the scries. The Greeks, led by 24 points from Dominique Wilkins, held a 16-point lead midway through the second half champions behind a furious defense. Olympiakos, seeking its third consecurive trip to the Final Four, took a before Treviso came storming back to crut the margin to 69-67 with only 10 seconds remaining. 45-26 advantage into the locker room and held on for the win behind 18 points from Frankn Nakic and 12 rebounds from Panavoris Fasoulas. Williams, with 24 points, missed a three-pointer that would have given Real was paced by Joe Arlkauckas with 27 points.

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Pau-Orthez 78, CSKA Moscow 65 Underdogs Pau-Orthez, which won a spot in the quarterfinals on the last day of the final pool with an 8-6 mark, upset the visiting Russians, who won Group A with a 10-4 record.

Antoine Rigaudeau scored 21 points for Pau-Orthez, while Didier Gadou and Thierry Gadou contributed 20 and

17 points respectively. The Russians, who were paced by Vassili Karassev with only 14 points, trailed 40-34 at the half but ded the game at 61-61 with six minutes left

before faltering again. The second game of all four series will be played tomorrow, while a third game, if needed, is slated for Thursday. The Final Four will take place in Paris next month.

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rebounds. God Shamgod made two free throws with 1:16 left to close the Friars (17-11) to 68-66, but Villanova converted 10 straight free throws the rest of the way, six by Kittles.

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THURSDAY'S NHL RESULTS: Soton 4, N.Y. Islanders 3; Pittsburgh 5, Ottawa 1; Tampa Bay 5, N.Y. Rangers 2; Calgary 4, SL Louis 2; Wianipeg 5, Florida 3.

FRIDAY'S NHL RESULTS: Hartford 7, Toronto 4; Los Angeles 4, Chicago 2; Detroit 4, Colorado 2; Edmonton 4, San Jose 2; Anabeim 3, Baffalo 2 (OT).

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Wimbledon forces replay with Chelsea

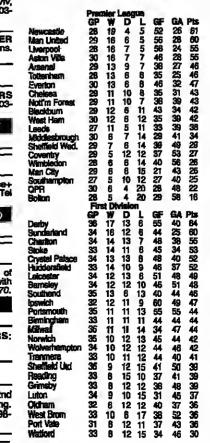
LONDON (Reuter) - Substitute Ioday and Manchester United is at Dean Holdsworth headed a late equalizer for Wimbledoo to cancel out Ruud Gullis's free kick a minute earlier and force a replay with Chelsea after a 2-2 draw in their English FA Cup quarter-final yesterday.

Striker Rohhie Earle put 1988 FA Cup winners Wimhledoo ahead in the 54th minute only for veteran Welsh international Mark Hughes to equalize 20 minutes from time in a pulsating match at Stamford Bridge.

The replay is at Selburst Park oo March 20.

Tottenham Hotspur's protracted fifth round tie with Nottingham Forest, which it beat in the 1991 final for its eighth FA Cup triumph, went into extra-time after a 1-1 draw in their replay at White Hart Lane.

Liverpool visit Leeds United



in other quarter-final matches, while the winners of the White Hart Lane game meet Aston Villa. In the Premier League, relega-tion-threatened Middlesbrough and Ouceo's Park Rangers both lost again, the oorth-casterners for the 10th time in their last 11 matches, but Coventry scraped a 2-2 draw away to Everton. Middleshrough, whose Brazilians Juninho and Branco

home to Southampton tomorrow

played only the last quarter of the match, went down 2-0 at West Ham to a goal in the 40th second from Northern Ireland striker Iain Dowie and a 59th-minute penalty hy left back Julian Dicks.

Astoo Villa, fourth in the Premier League, came from behind to beat Rangers 4-2 at home, a hrace from Trinidadian Dwight Yorke taking his tally for the season to 22 goals.

FA Cop (fifth-round, replay): Tottenham vs. Nottingham Forest (late game); Sinth round: Chelsea 2, Wimbledon 2. PREMIER LEAGUE: Aston Villa 4, Queens Park Rangers 2; Everton 2, Coventry 2; West Ham 2,

Coventry 2; West Ham 2, Middlesbrough 0. FIRST DIVISION: Barnsley 3, Ipswich 3; Chariton 2, Millwall 0; Crystal Palace 1, West Brom 0; Huddersfield 1, Luton 0; Leicester 2, Coinche 1, Nonether 1, Grimsby 1; Norwich 1, Portsmouth 1; Port Vale 2, Southend 1; Sheffield United 0, Stoke 0; Sunderland 3, Derby 0; Tranvnere 2, Brimingham 2; Watford 2, Oldham Wolverhampton 1, Reading 1. 1;

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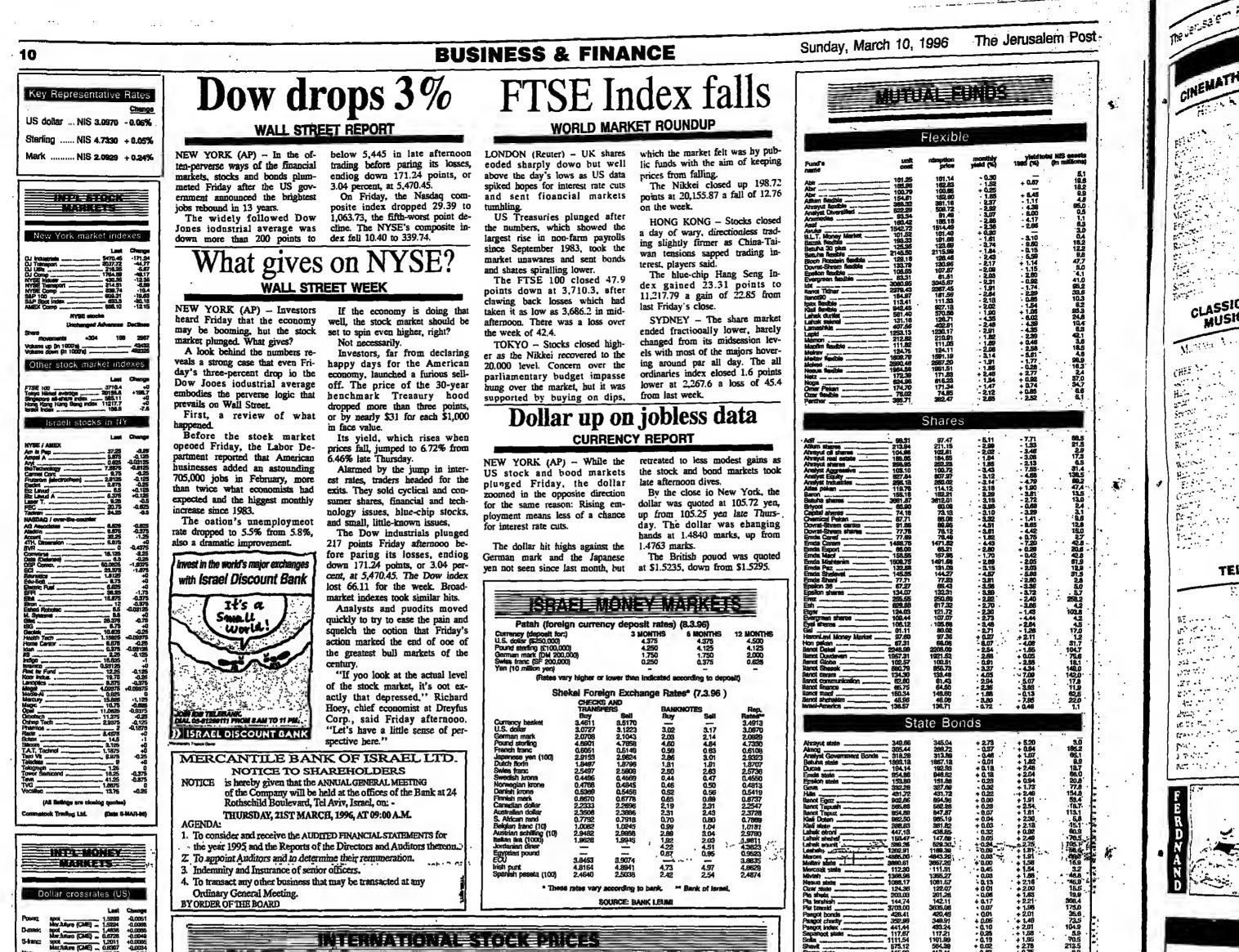
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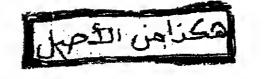
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Sunday, March 10, 1996

CRITIC'S CHOICE

WHAT'S ON

TELEVISION

CHANNEL 1

6:30 News In Arabic 6:45 Exercise Hour 7:00 Good Morning Israel EDUCATIONAL TV

Green - mini-serie

MIDDLE EAST TV

9:30 Changed Lives 10:00 Larry Lea 10:30 Quentin Road 11:30 Hour of Power 12:30 Central Message 13:00 Love Worth Finding 14:00 Benny Hinn 14:30 John Osteen 15:00 In Touch 16:00 Light for all Nations 16:30 Triple

bill of long and short features - Home bill of long and short features - Home Free, Terror by Night, and Nikkolina. 18:10 Beverty Hilbilities 18:40 Farm of Dreams 19:10 48 hours 2000 CNN Headfine News 21:00 NBA Action 21:30 NBA game - Phoenix vs Dallas 23:30 Studio 7

CABLE

E FAMILY CHANNEL (3)

Knots Landing

8:00 Janusalem and the arts 8:30 Society 9:05 Reading Comprehension 8:25 Nature 9:35 Young children's programs 10:00 Family Relations 10:30 History 10:55 Science 11:05 English 11:20 Family Relations 10:30 History 10:55 Science 11:05 English 11:20 Arithmetic 11:40 Judaism 12:00 Life Sciences 12:15 Math 12:25 French 12:35 Society 13:00 The use of the computer in the world of business 13:30 Stories about animals 13:45 Kitty Cat and Tommy 14:00 A Thousand and One Americas 14:25 Carboons 15:00 Pretty Butterfly

ECHANNEL 1

15:32 Friends of Shush 15:55 Rex 18:20 The Tin Soldier -- Hebrew adap-tation of the enduring children's story by Hans Christian Andersen 16:59 A New Evening 17:35 Zap to Click 18:15 News in English ARABIC PROGRAMS 18:30. Behr We Viu - six part door

18:30 Baby It's You - six part docu-mentary series tracing a baby's life from the moment of birth 19:00 News HEBREW PROGRAMS 19:30 Every Evening with Merav Michaeli 20:00 Mabat News 20:45

Second Look 21:30 Personal Story -Yael Dan interviews 22:00 The Cameri Quintet 22:30 World Soccer 23:30 News 00:00 Stories of the Good Land

CHANNEL 2

13:00 Gini and the Captain - new children's series about a seatane's tales 13:30 Power Rangers 14:00 Flying Doctors - drama series 15:00 The Firitistones 15:30 Dave's World 16:00 The Bold and the Beautiful 17:00 News magazine, with Rafi Reshef 17:30 All Together Now 18:00 Senora 19:00 Central Park West 20:00 News 20:30 Entertainment First - Dudu Topaz hosts 22:00 Gabi Gazit 23:20 75-85 - short documentaries and archival news reports from the last two decades 00:00 Naws 00:05 A Small Place 00:35 Moonlight - Israeli music 1:35 Moonlighting - starring Cybill Shepherd and Bruce Willis 2:20

JORDAN TV

14:00 The Flintstones 14:30 Disney's Aladdin 15:00 Mac and Motley 15:25

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the Bell 17:55 Hugo 18:30 Sandokan 19:00 Magic Bus 19:30 Three's Company 20:00 Married with Children 20:25 Step By Step 20:50 Mork and Mindy 21:20 Cheers

22:00 The Ballad of Cable Hogue (1970) – A loner goes to the Old West to make a new life for himself. Directed by Sam Peckimpah, starting Jason Robards and Stella Stevens 24:05 Wemer Herzog Essay (West German) – documentary film about the life and works of Wemer Herzog, includes interview and film clips. (59 mins.) mins.)

E DISCOVERY (8)

6:00 Open University 12:00 Seven Wonders of the World 13:00 In Search of Wildlife 13:30 Practical Guide to the Sun 14:00 Open University 16:00 Seven Wonders of the World 17:00 In Search of Wildlife 17:30 Practical Guide to the Sun 18:00 Open University 20:00 Commodities 21:00 Man and Nature 22:00 Beyond 2000 22:45 Commodities 23:40 Open University University

ITV 3 (33)

16:00 News flash in Arabic 18:15 Open Studio 18:45 Arabic debate 17:15 Facing Love 18:00 Weekly Column - in Arabic 19:00 News in Arabic 19:30 Showcase - weekly design magazine 20:00 Mabat news 20:45 Telekesser 21:15 NBA Games 24:00 Closedown

8:00 Falcon Crest (rpt) 9:00 One Life to Live (rpt) 9:45 The Young and the Restless (rpt) 10:30 Second Time Around 10:55 WKRP in Cincinnati 11:25 Celeste 12:10 Neighbors 12:35 Peny Mason 13:30 Starting at 1:30 14:05 The A Team 14:55 Falcon Crest 15:45 Secrets of the North 16:40 Neighbors 17:10 Models Inc. 18:00 One Life to Live 18:45 The Young and The Restless 19:30 Local broadcast 20:00 Celeste 20:50 Seinfield 21:15 Friends 21:40 E/R 22:30 Law and Order 23:20 Mad About You 23:45 ETV 2 (23)

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6:00 The Selina Scott Show 7:00 Business Week 7:30 NBC News 8:00 Business Week 7:30 NBC News 8:00 Only Business 8:30 Winners 9:00 Inspirations 10:00 (TN News live 10:30 Air Combat 11:30 Profiles 12:00 Supershop 13:00 The McLaughlin Group 13:30 Europe 2000 14:00 David Frost 15:00 Motor Magazine 15:30 Snowboarding 16:00 PGA Golf Tournament 17:00 NCAA Basketball 18:00 Meet The Press 19:00 (TN 18:00 Meet The Press 19:00 ITN News live 19:30 Voyager 20:30 The Best of the Selina Scott Show 21:30 Peter Ustinov presents Beethoven 22:30 ITN News 23:00 NBC News 00:00 Best of The Tonight Show 1:00 Late Night with Conan O'Brien

STAR PLUS

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CHANNEL 5

6:30 The Road Show 7:00 Amul India Show 7:30 Family Pride 8:30 The Fall Guy 9:30 Vegas 10:30 Best Sellers Miniseries: Alice To Nowhere 12:30 The Love Boat 13:30 The World Around Us 14:30 The Road Show Around Ds 14:30 The Hoad Show 15:00 Amul India Show 15:30 Snowy River: The McGregor Saga 16:40, Beverly Hills 90210 17:30 Picket Fences 18:30 Street Legal 19:30 The Bill 20:30 Star Trek: The Next Generation 21:30 India Business Mind 20:20 Amul India Shari 2020 Week 22:30 Amul India Show 23:00 Oprah Winfrey 00:00 Hard Copy 00:30 Home and Away 1:00 The

National Soccer League 17:50 English Soccer League 20:00 College Basketbali 21:00 Bowling 22:00 Brazilian Soccer 23:00 English

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EUROSPORT

Soccer League

7:00 Formula 1 – Australian Grand Prix 9:00 Slam 9:30 Alpine Skiing – World Cup from Norway 10:00 Alpine Skiing – Women's World Cup live from Norway 11:00 Alpine Skiing – World Cup live from Norway 12:00 Formula 1 – Australian Grand Prix 13:30 Alpine Skiing – World Cup live from Norway 14:15 Alpine Skiing – Women's World Cup from Norway 15:00 Athletics, live 17:00 Sports News 19:00 ATP Tennis live from Holland 20:00 Formula 1 Australian Grand Prix 21:55 Sports Australian Grand Prix 21:55 Sports News 22:00 ATP Tennis – Arizona Men's Finals 23:50 Eurosport Magazine 00:00 PGA Golf Tournament 1:00 Formula 1 – Australian Grand Prix

PRIME SPORTS

6:00 Cricket - World Cup, First Quarter Finals 10:30 Cricket - World Quarter Finals 10:30 Cricket - World Cup, Second Quarter Finals 17:30 NBA Basketbell - Golden State vs Denver 19:30 Cricket - World Cup, Third Quarter Finals 20:30 Golf 21:00 Asian Soccer 22:00 NBA Basketball -Golden State vs Denver 00:00 Cricket - World Cup, Quarter Finals 1:00 Cricket 2:00 International Sports Magazine 3:00 NBA Basketball -Golden State vs Denver 5:00 Cricket - World Cup, Quarter Finals

BBC WORLD

News on the hour 6:00 World Headlines 6:05 Horizon 7:30 India Headines 6:05 Horizon 7:30 India Business Report 8:20 Britain in View 9:20 This Week 10:05 Correspond-ent 11:30 The Clothes Show 12:05 Everyman 13:20 The Late Show 14:05 Rough Guide to the Americas 15:05 Breakfast with Frost 16:30 Jeremy Clarkson's Motor World 17:05 Horizon 19:30 Time Order Halfer Horizon 18:30 Time Out: Holiday 19:30 Food and Drink 20:20 On the Record 21:25 Window on Europe 22:05 Naked Hollywood 23:30 Time Out: Q.E.D. 00:00 BBC World

RADIO

WOICE OF MUSIC

6:06 Morning Concert 9:05 Torelli: Concerto grosso in E minor op 8/9; Boismortier: Suite no 2 in G for flute, lute and viola da gamba; Bach: Aria; Beethoven: Sonata no 18 in E flat for plano op 31/3 (Brendel); Brahms: plano op 31/3 (Brendel); Brahms: Variations on theme by Haydin op 56A; Schumann: Piano concerto in A minor; Vaughan Williams: Job, a Masque for Dancing 12:00 Light Classical – Boccherini; Symphony no 16 in D minor; Beethoven: Triple concerto for plano, violin, cello and orch 13:00 Artist of the Week – cellist Jacqueline du Pre. Bach: Suite no 2 in D minor for cello BWV 1008; Beethoven; Sonata po 3 in A for cello and piano on 69 no 3 in A for cello and piano op 69 14:06 Encore 15:00 From the Record Shelf 16:00 Music for Sunday – Bach: Cantata no 69; Benedetto Marcello: Psalm; Cherubini: Requiem in C minor Psalm; Cherubini: Requiem in C minor 18:00 New CDs – Haydn: Symphony no 36: Violinist Sarah Chang – Vieudemins: Violin concerto...no 5 Lalo: Symphonic espagnole 20:05 Pianist Alian Feinberg plays works by con-temporary American composer Robert Halso 20:00 Line beadcast Helps 20:30 Live broadcast from lerusalem Music Center. 21st Centur Ensemble, cond. Ed Spanjaard (Netherlands). Works by Gubaldulina, Kurtág, Dallapiccola, Shapira and Kancheli 23:00 Sounds to End the 6:30 Bodies in motion 7:30 Basic Training 15:00 Bodies in Motion 16:50 Day



CINEMATHEQUE

HELEN KAYE

BELGIAN films, such as

Farinelli, have been making it

hig lately and now there's a

whole festival of both Flemish

and French-language Belgian

movies at the Tel Aviv

Cinematheque, continuing until

March 26. All the movies have

Haifa Symphony Orchestra under music director Stanley Sperber, who also leads his musicians in Bartok's Coocerto for Orchestra and the overture to Rossini's comic opera L'Italiana Wednesday and Thursday at the home auditorium. Haifa Auditorium (8:30). Ed Spanjaard leads the Israel

Contemporary Players in an intriguing program featuring Gubaidolina's Concordanza, Dellapiccolo's Commiato, Kancheli's Magnum Ignotum and Arieh Shapira's Fool is the Prophet. Tonight at the Jerusalem Music Center and tomorrow at the Tel Aviv Museum. (8:30).

TELEVISION

RUTH KERN

WE could all use a good laugh. Assuming there isn't yet another atrocity which joits programmers into eliminating comedy from the normal Super Sunday lineup, Seinfeld will be back tonight as usual at 8:40 on the Family Channel. And a welcome relief it will be from the receot, improvised cable diet of melancholy music videos, murderand-mayhem-based series, and downbeat movies. And given that after each terror attack there's already hours of coverage (and probably rightly so) on the main channels as well as on the satellite news stations, rather than rub salt into the collective psychic wounds at every opportunity, wouldn't just a modicum of humanistic uplift and, yes, eveo humor help serve at least part of the public's needs



at times like these? What might seem callous to some, could prove therapeutic to others, who need to escape from it all to svoid feeling overwhelmed.

FILM

ADINA HOFFMAN

**** HEAT - Al Pacino and Robert De Niro. the Zeus and Poseidon of cootemporary American film realism, share just two scenes in Michael Mann's film. The whole movie, however, feels pitched inevitably toward their confrontation. In some ways, it's oot even the physical meeting between them that matters, so much as its threat, or promise. A remarkable piece of sustained suspensehuilding, Heat is stark, brutal, and at almost three professional criminal and a dedicated Los Angeles police detective - lends the picture a fascinating singlemindedness and unrelenting forward thrust. logue, Hebrew subtitles. Children under 17 not admitted without an adult.)



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hours long, extraordinarily engaging. The looming presence of the two actors - who play a ruthless As in a good Western, Mann slyly animates the oxymoronic-sounding dramatic arrangement of two men joined by their solitude. (English dia-

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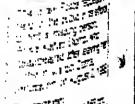
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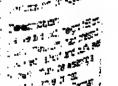
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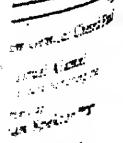
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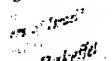


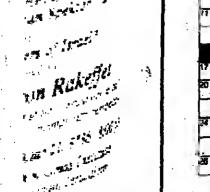


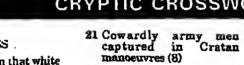












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ACROSS

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- exertions (5.3) 10 To carry out work at home is murder (2,2)
- 11 Way to get painstakingly produced food (12)
- 13 Watch agent and consumer
- (8) 15 I get so distressed by his
- selfishness (6) 16 Retirement place given to
- English historian (4) 17 Criticises charges (5) 18 Go and move car round (4)
- 20 Make fellow politician

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- confront the Spanish (6)
- 23 To reward shareholders must be of benefit (3.9) 26 Lustreless Gospel writer cut short (4) 27 Understand that the machine can now be threaded (6,2)
- 28 An attempt on a small
- number of leaseholders (8) DOWN

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- 2 Pay attention and watch
 - this space! (4,4) 3 Unavoidable comment on a
 - hopeless case (4.2.6) 4 Refuse to perform operation on solicitor (3,3)
 - 5 Thanks husiness for supplying Mexican dish (4)
- 8 Prince Consort meets an inhabitant of Canada (8) 12 US pioneer has to face riotous marines (12) 14 It revolves in either direction (5) 16 Support scouting group by providing equipment (8) 17 To the point, with regard to the Eastern Med (8)

(4)

- 19 Campanologist accepts etone from corrupt antiques dealer (8)
- 22 Is twice as able in dance (3-3)

6 Probably time to tuck into

sausage pie (2,1,5) 7 Strike a Mongolian monk

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- 24 Still the first person to see a mythical monster (4) 25 Dejected entrepreneur
- filled with depression (4) SOLUTIONS

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Histadrut threatens economic sanctions over pension crisis

THE Histadrut is expected to decide at its leadership session today whether to intensify economic sanctions unless the Treasury agrees to amend the government's new pension plan, which damages the rights of hun-dreds of thousands of workers.

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The negotiations between the Histadrut, the large unions and the Finance Ministry reached a standstill last week following the ministry's refusal to change the terms of the pension plan to ensure the members' rights. Histadrut Chairman MK Amir

Peretz met Finance Minister Avraham Shobat at the end of the week, but they failed to reach a breakthrough.

Peretz warned after the meeting that unless the Finance Ministry comes up with real answers today that would advance the negotiaMICHAL YUDELMAN

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ened to call a statewide strike on March 20 if they do not receive tions, the Histadrut will consider imposing organizational measures to disrupt the economy. funds for their current activity from the Histadrut this week.

Peretz demanded that Shohat Some 100 labor council secreissue an unequivocal statement taries convened at an emergency meeting Thursday to decide on their steps in view of the that the veteran members of the pension funds would not he dam-Histadrut's failure to transfer the aged by the plan. In addition, he demanded that the basis for calcufunds. The strike was initially lating the pension allocations be scheduled on March 10, but was postponed due to the terrorist the wages of the end of March this year, rather than March 1995, the

attacks. date the Treasury insists on. The labor council secretaries Shohat asked for time to calcuchairman, Pinni Kabbalo of Beit late the added cost of complying with the Histadrut's and large them inoperative.

Peretz warned last night that he would not agree to a delay of several months, or even weeks, in the Histadrut is acting as though it's business as usual," Kahbalo said. In another development, the

She'an, said that cutting off funds ro the labor councils has rendered "We cannot function, suppliers have cut off their services and are suing us for debts, and the

labor council secretaries threat-



Outgoing OC Soothern Command Maj.-Gen. Shaul Mofaz (center) receives his appointment as head of the IDF Planning Branch on Friday from Chief of Staff Amnon Lipkin-Shahak. At left is Mofaz's predecessor, Maj.-Gen. Uzi Dayan, who is to take over shortly as OC Central Command when Maj.-Gen. Ilan Biran steps down.

IDF soldier wounded, SLA soldier killed in separate incidents in security zone

DAVID RUDGE

A SOUTH Lebanese Army soldier was killed and an IDF soldier was wounded in separate Hizbullah attacks in south Lebanon yesterday. The IDF soldier was wounded when gunmen opened fire with mortars at the Dabsha outpost in the eastern sector of the security

zone early in the morning. Reports from Lebanon said at

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terday morning, an SLA soldier both the incidents. IDF gunners blasted Hizbullah was killed when the jeep he was driving went on a mine in the targets north of the zone in

response to the mortar attacks. There were no immediate reports of any casualties among the attackers.

Six other IDF soldiers are being treated in Rambam Hospital for wounds they suffered in the incident inside the zone last Monday night in which four of their comrades were killed. Two of the six

were in critical condition when admitted. They have improved slightly since then, although they are still in the intensive care unit of the neurosurgery department. The hospital said there had also

been improvement in the conditions of all the other wounded from the same incident, including two who were seriously hurt.

Rabbi Mattityahu Glazerson,

THE independent team investigat-ing allegations that the GSS leaked information to the defendants in the Arych Deri trial bas submitted its recommendations to Anorney-General Michael Ben-Yair.

The Jerusalem Post

The team, beaded by Maj.-Gen. (res.) Moshe Gidron, recommended that action be taken against individuals suspected of involvement in the affair.

The affair began last February when tapes secretly recorded by state witness Ya'acov Shmulevitz of conversations with defendant Moshe Weinberg were submitted in the Jerusalem District Court.

In those recordings, Weinberg said he knew that his phones and those of the other defendants were being tapped, and hinted that he was told this by GSS contacts.

Deri, Moshe Weinberg, Aryeh Weinberg and Yom-Tov Rubin are on trial for fraud, taking bribes

The inquiry team, appointed a year ago by Ben-Yair, took testimony from 62 people, 31 of whom took lie-detector tests." Mosbe Weinberg was also given such a test.

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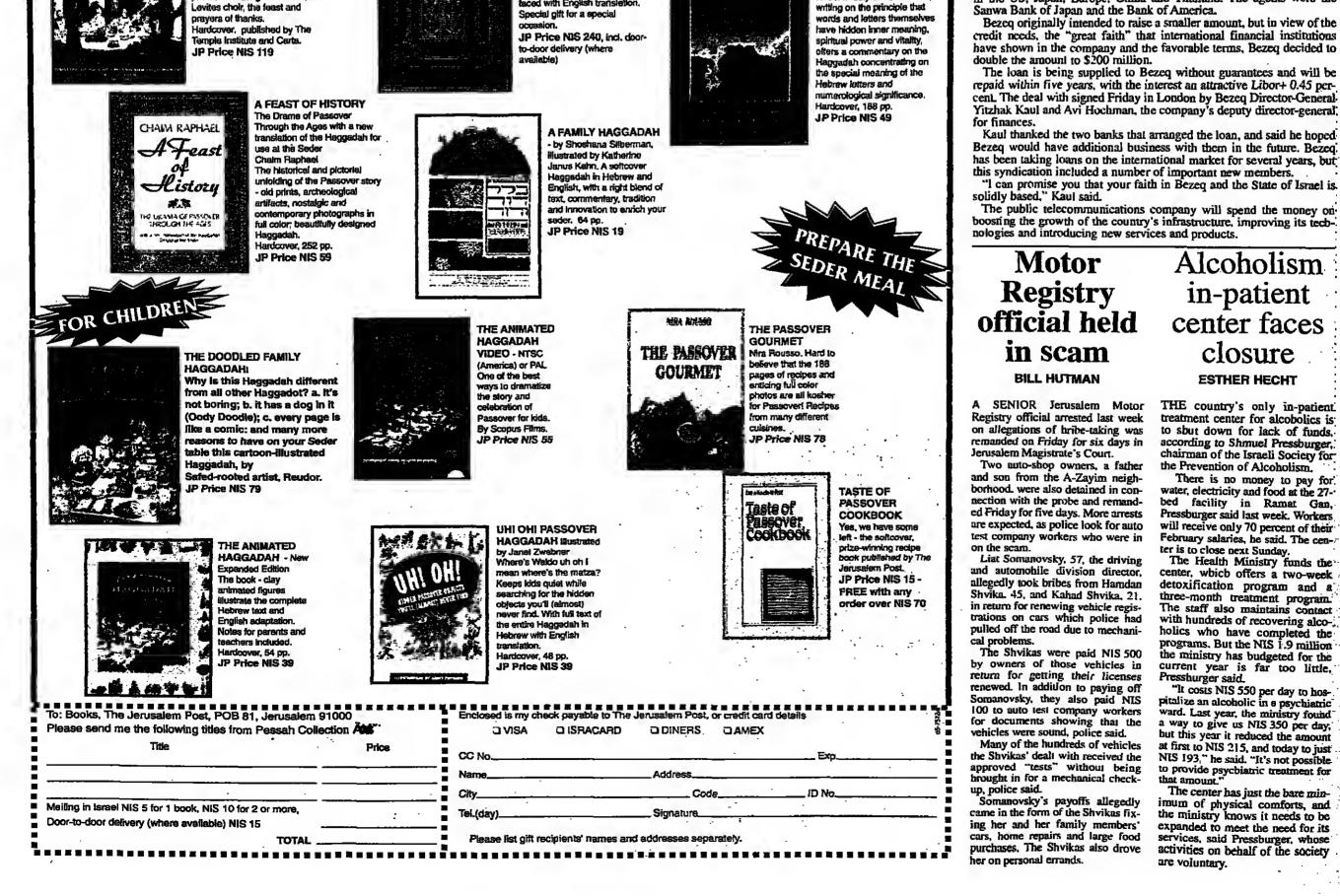
In the 180-page report, the team recommended that measures be taken against some of those involved the affair. As a result of the affair, they also recommended that measures be implemented in the police and GSS. They said the procedures for installing wiretaps sbould be changed.

Ben-Yair said be would examine the recommendations and instruct the state attorney to examine the report and take the necessary actions. (Itim)





GSS in Deri case'



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> THE country's only in-patient treatment center for alcobolics is: to sbut down for lack of funds, according to Shmuel Pressburger, chairman of the Israeli Society for the Prevention of Alcoholism.

There is no money to pay for. water, electricity and food at the 27bed facility in Ramat Gan, Pressburger said last week. Workers will receive only 70 percent of their February salaries, he said. The center is to close next Sunday.

The Health Ministry funds the center, which offers a two-week detoxification program and a three-month treatment program. The staff also maintains contact with hundreds of recovering alco-. holics who have completed the programs. But the NIS 1.9 million the ministry has budgeted for the current year is far too little, Presshurger said.

"It costs NIS 550 per day to hospitalize an alcoholic in a psychiatric ward. Last year, the ministry found a way to give us NIS 350 per day; but this year it reduced the amount at first to NIS 215, and today to just NIS 193," he said. "It's not possible to provide psychiatric treatment for that amount."

The center has just the bare minimum of physical comforts, and the ministry knows it needs to be expanded to meet the need for its services, said Pressburger, whose activities on behalf of the society . are voluntary.

